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SUBWAY MURDER HUNDREDS THROWN INTO PANIC

COLORED WOMAN ROBS YOUNG GIRL ON STREET

DARING HOLD-UP ON WASHINGTON STREET IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

A young woman was attacked and robbed in broad daylight on Washington street to-day, before the eyes of a number of passers-by, and the assailant, a colored woman, made her escape. Miss Vinnie Davis, eighteen years old, of Carmel, Me., was the victim. She happened to have only $1 with her, and this was taken.

She lives, while in this city, at No. 7 Hamburg street, South End, and up to a week ago was employed by the Eastern Steam Laundry Company. This forenoon, about 10 o'clock, she started down town, carrying in her hand a candy box containing four 25-cent pieces.

On Washington street, opposite Bayard street, the colored woman acted her from behind and threw her into the street. The candy box fell and the money rolled out. Joseph Mansberg of No. 1 Brighton place, picked up the money, but the colored woman attacked him fiercely and threw him also into the street, after taking the money away from him.

Then she fled through Wilkes street and disappeared, going in the direction of Bradford street.

Miss Davis describes her assailant as being very black of medium height, wearing a brown coat, gray skirt and black hat. She has a scar under one eye, but Miss Davis could not remember which one.

MORAN PROBING KILEY CASE AGAINST MAYOR?

REPORT SPREADS WHEN DISTRICT ATTORNEY SENDS FOR POLICE OFFICIALS.

When District Attorney John B. Moran number of ward men had been discharged to-day came out of the grand jury room and ordered that Superintendent of Police W. H. Pierce or Chief W. B. Watts be sent for, the rumor quickly spread over the court house that the indicting body of Suffolk County was about to take up the charges made by Councilman Daniel J. Kiley against Mayor John F. Fitzgerald.

Prior to his defeat in the municipal contest, Kiley complained to the district attorney that Mayor Fitzgerald was using the Republic, a weekly publication controlled by the latter, to intimidate city employes living in Ward 8. Kiley did that a published.

Then Mr. Moran called in the editor of the Republic was a plain intimidation, to others that they must either oppose Kiley in the primaries or lose their jobs.

As the law makes any attempt to intimidate or coerce voters a criminal offence, Kiley asked for the indictment of Mayor Fitzgerald.

The Mayor disclaims responsibility for the article in his newspaper of which Kiley complained. The BOSTON AMERICAN offered to furnish to the district attorney the name of a man who said he heard the Mayor dictating or reading matter similar to the editorial before it was

FATALLY HURT BY RUNAWAY

William Small, seventy years old, was knocked down and probably fatally injured by a runaway horse at Congress and Pearl streets, Chelsea, to-day. He is in the Frost Hospital.

The horse and wagon owned by R. F. Keefe ran away on Broadway, turning into Congress and Pearl streets. Mr. Small was between curbs when knocked down. Wagon wheels passed over him and when the horse was upset it pinned him beneath the frame.

HALE'S SON TO WED

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The engagement will soon be announced of Miss Eunice Terry, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Frederick Terry of this city, and Eugene Hale, son of Senator Hale of Maine. Mr.

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-day, probably followed by rain late to-night and Wednesday morning. Light variable winds, becoming brisk northeast; warmer.

High tide—11:10 a. m., 11:30 p. m.
Sun rises—5:42, sets 5:25.
Moon rises—5:55 p. m.

HARKNESS PARDONED.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Oct. 2.—Governor Bell yesterday gave Dr. Waldo B. Harkness, who was sentenced January 4, 1902, for forgery to a term of not more than six nor less than five years, a conditional discharge from the State prison at Windsor.

Meikle Held for Father's Death; Police Say BOY BOUGHT PISTOL

Fifteen-Year-Old Lad Charged With Crime Arraigned in Salem Court To-day.

In the investigation of the death by a pistol shot of Charles D. S. Meikle, who occurred in Lynn nearly a year ago, and for which his fifteen-year-old son, Edgar Weston Meikle, was to-day arraigned in Salem Court, the police made the startling discovery, they declare, that the boy purchased a revolver about the time his father was fatally shot.

They also ascertained, they assert, that the father never owned a weapon of the character of that with which he was killed.

These new features have served to deepen the interest in the remarkable case, and have given an additional incentive to the officials who are investigating to probe it to the bottom.

Shackled to a deputy sheriff, young Meikle was brought into the Superior Court at Salem to-day to plead to the indictment.

Calmly he laid rested his right hand when the clerk told him to. Immediately realizing his position, he said in a firm voice that could be heard throughout the courtroom:

"I plead not guilty."

Clerk Woodbury finished the reading of the warrant, which charged that on November 6, 1905, Edgar Meikle killed his father by shooting with a revolver. The clerk asked him to plead.

"Not guilty," said the boy again, in the same firm tone.

BOY HELD WITHOUT BAIL.

He was held without bail to await trial. Again handcuffed to Deputy Sheriff Bishop, he was led away to a cell in Salem jail, where he had passed the night.

"I am innocent," he said to those who spoke to him after his arrest. "I did not kill my father."

Not one has this lad with bright eyes that have a strong, steady look, trembled at the position in which he finds himself today. Nearly a year ago the State Police, after the police of Lynn and the medical examiner declared his father committed suicide, began his inquisition. He has told one story, he has stuck to it. Only the fact that the manner in which the shot that killed his father was fired aroused the suspicion that the man had not killed himself.

Several times the lad has been questioned. An inquest that extended over several months failed to change his story. At length the State police presented their evidence before the Essex County Grand Jury. They returned a secret indictment, and under that indictment the lad was arrested last night at the home of his guardian, James Trimble, No. 59 Lothrop street, Lynn.

A SOUND NIGHT'S SLEEP.

Young Meikle passed a quiet night at the Salem Jail, and awoke after a sound sleep to greet pleasantly the officers who brought him his breakfast. He prepared himself carefully for his appearance before the court.

At 11 o'clock Deputy Sheriff Bishop took the boy from his cell and handcuffed him. They walked to the court house, where Judge Ira Courcey was presiding. In the dock there were about eight prisoners, whose cases were being called. Unshackled from the deputy's wrist, the boy was locked in with them.

He knew when his name was called and looked inquiringly at the court. He was cool; there was no sign of fear in his face. His eyes sought those of the clerk.

His small figure was garbed in a dark gray suit and he wore a white tie with black dots.

Responded With Smile.

He raised his hand when told. After quickly pleading his innocence his eyes sought the floor as the clerk proceeded to read the warrant which the Grand Jury had drawn against him.

He was represented by counsel, the junior member of the firm of Sisk Brothers, who have conducted some notable criminal cases. The lawyer spoke to the lad and young Meikle responded with a slight smile. Mr. Sisk assured him that his rights would be protected.

The proceedings occupied but a few minutes, owing to the charge there was no alternative for the court but to hold young Meikle without bail until such time as the superior court can get to his trial. It may be months before he is brought south from the jail to the courtroom.

He was committed to the Lancaster street police station. Two women, one of them said to be the wife of the dead man, who were with the two men at the time of the shooting, were also taken into custody as witnesses.

The cause of the shooting is unknown, but it is thought that there had been a quarrel between Valentine and Brown previous to their coming into the subway. The four walked down the flight of stairs at the entrance, paid their fare and were passed through the ticket choppers' gates.

They stopped about fifteen feet beyond and began to argue. What happened then was told to the BOSTON AMERICAN by John M. Lennon, of Jamaica Plain, salesman for the Iver Johnson Company, who says:

"The man who was shot had shoved against the other and said: 'I will fix you when I get you outside.' Suddenly the other drew a gun and fired a shot at his companion. The man staggered and the other fired two more shots. Then he put three more shots, all at close range, into the body of the other.

"Wreath screamed and men shouted, and there was great confusion. The man with the gun ran up the stairway, but was caught."

Mrs. A. P. green of Glenwood avenue, Newtonville, was standing near when the shooting occured. She corroborates Mr. Lennon's story of the argument, followed by the firing of shots.

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Facts in Death of Meikle Causing Arrest of Son

CHARLES MEIKLE was right-handed.

Shot which caused his death entered left side of face, about an inch from the nose.

Position of wound seemed impossible to have been made by left-handed man.

Medical Examiner Pinkham said, "Suicide."

George C. Neal, deputy chief of State Police: "It is not suicide."

Meikle and his son were alone when former was shot.

Edgar Meikle protests his innocence.

REPORT FORT WASHED AWAY AND 100 DROWNED

OFFICERS, WIVES AND FAMILIES ARE SAID TO HAVE PERISHED WITH SOLDIERS.

MOBILE, Ala., Oct. 2.—A report is current here that nearly 100 United States soldiers were drowned and Fort McRae, near Pensacola, Fla., washed away by the hurricane which swept the sea inshore. Officers, their wives and families are said to have perished.

BOY'S OWN STORY OF HIS FATHER'S DEATH

By Edgar Meikle.

I did not kill my father. My father shot himself and it is not right for the officers to say that I had anything to do with it.

I was with my father at the time, and I saw everything.

My father and I lived at No. 23 Congress street. Father worked in the General Electric works. He sent me to the Lewis Grammar School.

I didn't like to go to school very well and I told my father so. But he always insisted that I must go as he wanted me to learn everything I could.

The day before he shot himself I had not been at school. He hadn't been acting just right, but he hadn't done anything to go or to himself.

This day he scolded me for not going to school. I told him that I didn't like going to school, and that I didn't want to go any more.

"I DIDN'T DARE MOVE"

He didn't say much more, but he turned round and went to the ice chest, where there was a revolver laying on top. He picked it up and pointed it at his head. There was a shot and he fell down and I thought he was dead.

I was so scared that I didn't dare move for a minute. Then I picked up the pistol from where it had dropped and hid it be-

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Negro Fires Six Bullets Into Body of Another, While Hundreds of Men and Women Flee in Terror—Victim of Shooting Dies in Few Minutes.

In the presence of hundreds of terrified men and women, a colored man named Charles F. Queen of No. 17 Irvington street, South End, was riddled with bullets in the Park street subway station at 1:10 o'clock to-day by another colored man, said to be Ex-Councilman Henry Brown of Springfield street. Valentine died ten minutes after Brown had pumped six bullets into his body.

Brown dashed across the subway platform through the startled crowd and was half-way up the stairs to the open before anyone could start for him. A fleet-footed citizen bounded up the stairs after the fleeing man, however, and managed to overtake him at the head of the flight. There was a struggle and the fugitive was finally held till the police took him in custody.

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MAYOR THINKS MORAN IS SURE TO BE ELECTED

Mayor Fitzgerald to-day stated his firm belief that John B. Moran would be the next Governor of Massachusetts, at the same time denying the statement printed in a morning paper intimating that both he and his close personal and political friend, Timothy Wilfred Coakley, would like To see Moran defeated.

"Moran will be elected the State," said Mayor Fitzgerald. "There is no question in my mind about his carrying the Commonwealth this Fall.

"The Republicans will get the surprise of their lives on election night. The principles that Moran stands for are those that are closest to the hearts of the people to-day, and upon those principles he will be triumphantly elected Governor."

Mayor Fitzgerald ridicules not only the story that the Hearst-Moran advertisement of Sunday was a part of a plan between Coakley and Moran, but also the story that it was done with the idea of hurting Moran.

Thinks Coakley Sincere.

"Coakley was perfectly sincere in inserting that ad," said His Honor. "He is an enthusiastic believer in the principles advocated by both Moran and Hearst, and it was only his intense admiration for the great New Yorker, in my opinion, that caused him to couple his name with that of Moran.

"Coakley is heart and soul for both Hearst and Moran, and his one aim is the election of both, and he will do all in his power to effect it."

JUDGE TAKES SEAT.

WORCESTER, Oct. 2.—Judge Arthur P. Rugg of Worcester took his seat as associate justice of the Supreme Court here yesterday.

DRAPERS, BITTER FOES OF UNIONS, RULE HOPEDALE WITH IRON HAND

Whole Town Kept in Subjection and Friends of Labor Are Penalized.

Special to the Boston American.

HOPEDALE, Oct. 2.—Here is a town in which it is impossible for a union labor man to live. It is unique, in at least that particular, if not some others.

So violently are the Drapers—and they own and rule the town with the severity of the Czar of Russia—opposed to anything that savors of unionism that a man would just as soon think of crawling through the eye of a needle as getting a job in the big Draper works with a union card in his pocket.

The frown of the Drapers has also fallen upon Milford, Hopedale's sister town. In Hopedale no man would dare say a word in criticism of the peculiar conditions. In Milford, even, they talk in whispers. One man, whose name is withheld for obvious reasons, had this to say about Eben S. Draper:

"He is the worst enemy of organized labor of any man in public life in the State of Massachusetts. I know what I am talking about, so do others who know, but I would be to do with labor organizations in this part of the State."

Strangers Suspected.

Strangers are eyed curiously who visit Hopedale. It is as though you were trespassing on private property. I felt that way as I sauntered up to the entrance to the big factory in which as many of 5,000 people are sometimes employed. As I neared the entrance I saw conspicuously displayed this sign:

PRIVATE WAY
VERY DANGEROUS

Then I recalled some of the stories about the antagonism to organized labor that I had heard in Milford and other places, and I thought that this would be a more appropriate notice at the entrance to the factory:

WHO ENTERS HERE
LEAVES UNION BEHIND

Those who control the factory and the town of Hopedale are the three Draper brothers, General William F., Eben S. and George A. Hopedale is their pet, and so anxious were they to keep it unspotted from the world that they had it separated from Milford, to which it used to belong.

"Why was the separation made?" I asked a Milford man.

"There are too many Democrats here," he replied, tersely, besides, the Drapers have something to say about the running of things—they do not, of course, call the Drapers, in Hopedale. Lately they have been employing a good many Italians and Portuguese. But they will not let the Italians live in Hopedale—they have built a section of land just over the Milford line, built tenements and hired them to their employes, who are good enough to do their work, but not good enough to live in their town."

Forced Men Out of Union.

A few years ago, before union machinists and union moulders had been entirely driven from Hopedale, they had a system of investigating every prospective workmen that was very direct. When a man applied for a job he was asked bluntly if he belonged to a union. If he did, he was told he would have to get out or do without the job.

The Central Labor Union of Milford got after this state of affairs. It was a violation of rights guaranteed to a citizen of the country under the constitution, and now they have to do the work in another way for sometimes an ignorant man with a union card gets into the shop.

It is only a short time, however, until such a man is found out and then it is one of two things with him—either he abandon his union or his job.

One of the chief lieutenants of the Drapers is W. H. Barney. He is regarded as the most aggressive man in the employ of the family. He has charge of what is known as the Hopedale stables. From them a coal, ice, wood and teaming business is conducted. It is all run by the Drapers.

Draper Was Indicted.

Incidentally, Barney was one of the men indicted in connection with the recent ice pass that was before the Grand Jury of Suffolk County. He made himself more than ordinarily conspicuous in behalf of the Drapers at the time of the row when there was a teamsters' strike in Milford. The teamsters wanted a new scale of wages. The Drapers, in the teaming business themselves, and virulently opposed to unionism, did everything in their power to make the strike a failure.

It was told in Milford to-day that the Draper interests had notified the three largest business men in Milford that if they joined in the demand for a scale of wages that they would come into the Hopedale district and they then even if they had to give coal, ice and wood away.

In spite of this open threat one man signed the scale. He was William Wilson, who runs what was formerly Coughlin's Express, a Milford and Boston local company. This express firm formerly did the Draper business. Just as soon as the scale was signed the building was shut down and turned over to George Sherborne, who did not sign the scale.

That is one specific example of how they do things in Hopedale. Many others similar in character will be recalled to a discreet visitor to Milford.

They will tell you a story of how the employes of the Drapers failed to get a shorter working day and were not only refused, but that some of the movers in the scheme lost their jobs.

Asked for a Nine-Hour Day.

That occurred about the time Eben S. Draper aspired to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Commonwealth. The people in the factory work ten hours and more when there are large orders. They wanted a nine-hour day. Thinking that under the circumstances the Draper family might be jealous at a time when they were fishing for the votes of the people, some of the more venturesome of the employes got up a petition asking for a nine-hour day. It was granted them.

"Did they get the nine-hour day?" I asked a man who is in touch with the situation.

"Did they get it? No. What happened was this: The people who went to the office to ask for such a thing were told very plainly to get their names off the petition, or their names would go off the pay rolls. What would they do? Some of the employes refused. They do not work there any more."

The grizzled sisters of Milford and Hopedale taught them years ago about a new scale, and a strike followed. The Drapers do not deal in granite, but they had some stock in the company. The story came to the ears of the Granite Cutters' Union, which has a membership of about 800 and plenty of financial backing, that the Drapers had offered to put $5,000 in a $20,000 pool to break up the union.

Drapers Defeated by Union.

The granite cutters smiled. They also let it be known that they would be glad to just such a fight. The trouble lasted just eight days. The granite cutters won. It is said now that the Drapers have quietly disposed of their stock in the granite works.

The power of the Drapers to keep out union labor to as great an extent as possible, is also carried into politics. The case of Hewitt Patrick is one in point. Patrick is a grocer in Hopedale. He owns his own premises, and the Drapers have never been able to dislodge him, although other tenements and hired houses in their employes, who are good enough to do their work, but not good enough to live in their town.

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LEAGUE PROTESTS ATLANTA "ANARCHY"

WORCESTER, Oct. 2.—Protests against the lynching of negroes in Atlanta, Ga., were heard at the annual meeting of the New England Sufferage League, held here to-day. Resolutions were adopted declaring the recent occurrences in that Southern city to have been deliberately planned, and "of anarchy existed in the South."

The State appropriation for the Jamestown exposition was disapproved. William Monroe Trotter of Boston was re-elected president, G. A. Bowler of Worcester, secretary, and Rev. Hiram Conway of Worcester, treasurer.

Y. M. C. A. SCHOOLS OPEN.

Several schools of the Evening Institute of the Young Men's Christian Association were opened last night. The attendance was large at each. Over 1,500 students have been enrolled at these schools.

GOT INTO THE WRONG HOUSE, GOT 2 MONTHS

In a futile effort to find some friends who lived somewhere in the South End, Joseph O'Malley of Gloucester went through two floors at No. 3 Canton place early to-day, much to the elderly woman and couple badly, wound up in the hands of the police and now is doing two months in the House of Correction.

He got into the wrong house.

HURT, BUT SAVED HIS CHILDREN

LENOX, Oct. 2.—While riding with his two children on the main boulevard yesterday, George E. Turnure's horse became frightened at an automobile. In trying to save the children Mr. Turnure was thrown to the ground and dislocated his shoulder. The children were uninjured.

How Draper Family's Despotic Sway Has Cowed Hopedale

No union man can live in Hopedale, the town of the Drapers.
No union man can work in their shops.
Eben S. Draper regarded as the bitterest enemy to organized labor of any Massachusetts public man.
Cut off express business from man who signed union scale in teamsters' strike.
Men good enough to work for them, but not good enough to live in their town.

HOW LIEUT.-GOV. DRAPER TRICKED UNION MEN AND TOOK AWAY UNION CARDS

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 2.—Herbert E. Bryant, one of the most prominent labor men in the State, in preparing a circular letter to be sent out to the different moulders' unions, throws the machine into high gear to work for the defeat of Eben S. Draper for Lieutenant-Governor. Not only does Mr. Bryant denounce Mr. Draper as an enemy to organized labor, but also says he is not a man of his word and is a trickster. Three letters will be sent out after the Republican convention, at which Mr. Draper will be renominated.

To a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter Mr. Bryant told how Mr. Draper a year ago tricked organized labor and saved himself from defeat. Mr. Bryant said:

"The trouble began back in 1901, when the Draper company did all in its power to defeat the efforts of the moulders' union to better conditions at Milford. The Draper company, by the expenditure of a large amount of money, won out.

DISCHARGED FOR JOINING UNION.

"In 1902, because the machine moulders in the company's employ organized a moulders' union, the men were discharged. A committee from the other moulders' union then demanded a reason for the discharge of the machine moulders, and as a result were told they would also be discharged unless they signed a paper agreeing to turn over their due books in the union as a guarantee that they had deserted the Iron Moulders' Union. They were also to notify the company if they ever decided to rejoin the union.

"Nearly all the men refused to sign such an agreement, and therefore were discharged. Furthermore, they were ordered out of the company's houses and found themselves without homes. The conditions were so bad that the national body finally advised the molders to go back to work and desert the union. Just prior to this the machinists' union was treated in much the same manner and was exterminated.

"But now comes Mr. Draper's trickery. Last October, after he had been nominated for Lieutenant-Governor on the Republican ticket, he began to have his fears that his high-handed methods might work against him in the campaign. Indirectly he asked for a conference with the Iron Moulders' Union. This conference was in no manner sought by the molders' union.

"At this conference Mr. Draper said to me, and to International Vice-President John R. O'Leary, that he was willing to have the molders organize again. Mr. Draper admitted that the company had made a mistake in demanding the due books from the men, and said that no hindrance would be made to an organization.

"On October 27 I interviewed several of the molders employed at the Draper works in Hopedale relative to the question of the molders' union in that vicinity. The men felt confident that inasmuch as Mr. Draper had stated that the future policy of the concern would be no discrimination against any man on account of his affiliation or unaffiliation with a labor union, there would be no good reason why they should not resume their membership in the molders' union.

PAPERS CONTROLLED BY MR. DRAPER.

"When I came to advertise the meeting I found difficulty in getting a notice in the papers, for they were controlled by Mr. Draper. I finally did get in a paid notice to the effect that an open meeting of molders would be held on the following Monday. When I advanced Monday evening as scheduled, I found only half a dozen men, and they said they were in danger of losing their positions for attending. They said that after the notice of the meeting appeared in the paper they had been approached by officials of the company and told that if they joined the union they would immediately be discharged.

"I wrote to Mr. Draper the following day and asked for an explanation. He said in effect that as he had had with Mr. O'Leary that the matter was of a personal nature and did not come from the Draper company. He said he could not anticipate what action the company would take. He said he had made no promises to me, but I run into politics nowadays.

"Mr. Draper's reply to my letter did not arrive until too late to use against him in the election, and he had evidently succeeded in what he had in mind. Mr. Draper's trickery undoubtedly secured him his election. As it was, he only won by a small margin, and, had this been known in time to use against him, he surely would have been defeated at the polls.

"It was very evident from the first that Mr. Draper had no intention of letting his men join the union. By presenting to me our friend, however, he prevented us from working against him and won out by trickery."

'L' PLANS ARE REJECTED BY RAILWAY BOARD

Corporation Failed to Comply with Requirements in New Station Scheme.

The Board of Railroad Commissioners has dismissed the petition of the Boston Elevated Street Railway for a station to be connected with its extension to Forest Hills, and in turning down the road the board calls attention to the fact that the latter has not submitted its plans to the Mayor, as the law requires, nor offered to pay to the city and the public for the big area of a public square which it proposes to occupy as a station site.

The board also says that the station project is worth some time and attention on its part.

The railroad commissioners are James F. Jackson, George W. Bishop and Clinton White, and in full they say:

Objections to Location.

"The statutes under which the company derives authority to build an elevated railway provide that plans showing the form and method of construction proposed in erecting the structure shall be presented to the Mayor of Boston for his examination and approval, as to architectural appearance and obstruction to light and air, and further provides for an appeal to this board from his decision.

"It follows that as an appellate tribunal this board should hold itself free to consider an appeal, should one be made, with the assurance to all who are interested that it will be taken no action prejudicial to a full and fair hearing. For this reason alone it must be held that these plans should be presented to the Mayor before we are asked to pass upon them.

"But there are other objections to the approval of the plans to which we think attention ought to be now called. The proposed station at Forest Hills takes from general highway uses a substantial area in the public square. It has long been the declared policy of this board, in passing upon railway locations, to require companies to make good an invasion of public streets and public places which excludes general highway uses.

"There is no suggestion here that the company is to furnish an equivalent for what it proposes to take from such uses in this square, and our approval of the project would be withheld for that reason.

Will Take Time and Study.

"Again, in weighing the various pertinent suggestions which have been offered in connection with this discussion at and since the hearing, we are satisfied that the problem of meeting not only the present, but the probable future needs of transit at this point in the manner most likely to best subserve the interests calls for more investigation and study, both of the type and of the extent and location of this station.

"The petition presenting the plans now before us is dismissed."

HEAD OF POOR FARM TO FIGHT REMOVAL

MELROSE, Oct. 2.—The overseers of the poor to-day appointed Mrs. Maud S. Francis of Boston as matron at the stone house to succeed Mrs. Harry W. Worth. The board also voted to dispense with the office of superintendent of the poor farm on the ground of economy. Harry W. Worth filed the office up to yesterday when he and his wife were ordered to vacate. He says he will fight his removal.

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"AL" ADAMS SLAIN, SAYS N. Y. CORONER

New Evidence Tends to Disprove Suicide Theory; He Declares.

LEFT GREAT FORTUNE

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The belief that "Al" Adams, the "Policy King," who was at first thought to have committed suicide became he had been beggared by bucket shop gambling through chance over his life of gambling, was really murdered, is strengthened to-day by the discovery that Adams at his death was worth at least $10,000,000.

Many peculiar developments appeared to-day in the case, and what at first looked like a case of suicide by hanging has taken on an altogether different aspect in the opinion of Coroner Harburger and the police.

The position of the body of the big, heavily-built man, lying over a light chair that his fall might easily have broken, is remarked in its peculiarity by the fact that, although the death scene was that of Adams's apartments on the fifteenth floor of the Knickerbocker Arcania apartments, the only person who heard the noise compared the sound to the striking of a door.

Bad Loan of $1,000,000.

Besides this, investigation of the dead man's papers to-day brought out the fact that in an outstanding loan issued on notes and ordinary "I. O. U.'s" he had more than $1,000,000. How far keen old Al Adams, the policy king, was known to have placed wealth above everything else in this ordinary life was carefully in the handling of the money he wrested from the gaming table. Every precaution to part with so much money proved to the world's gamblers a question.

When his startling death was first discovered it was thought that his loss of a million or more when he was whipsawed in the bucket shop game that ended in the failure of M. J. Sage & Co., of Jersey City, had made him despondent.

But Adams on his release from Sing Sing two years ago was known to have from $12,000,000 to $15,000,000. His estate to-day from what has already been ascertained will aggregate at least $10,000,000. That he should have carried so many loans, some of them for several years, is taken as an indication that his loss in the bucket shop game would hardly have driven him to seek death.

Adams was a man who remembered an enemy, and those who knew him best say he would be more likely to pride his time to beat the bucket-shoppers at their own game than to confess defeat in suicide.

CORONER'S VERDICT OF MURDER.

When Adams's death was discovered Coroner Harburger was called at once, and declared that death had been instantaneous. He did not at that time give the cause. To-day he declares that indications to support the theory of murder are as strong as those which point to suicide, and that in his view motives are not lacking.

EXPECT COURT TO DECLARE THAW INSANE

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Harry K. Thaw, the slayer of Stanford White, will probably never be brought to trial. His case is No. 14 in a list of twenty-eight homicide cases to be disposed of by the grand jury, and it is expected that a commission in lunacy will be applied for before the Thaw case is reached.

Clifford W. Hartridge, attorney for Thaw, said to-day that there would be no commission applied for "this month." He would not say, however, that one would not be named to make such an application. In this connection it is known that the evidence gathered by Hartridge and others in favor of applying for a lunacy commission is considered sufficient to insure that a commission will declare Thaw insane. Several prominent alienists have already so found.

TO ARREST ACTRESS AS THAW WITNESS IF SHE DEFIES SUBPOENA

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Paula Desmond, who is appearing in the "Red Mill" at the Knickerbocker Theatre, will be arrested under a body attachment, Assistant District Attorney Garvan said to-day, if she responds to the subpoena ordering her to testify before the Grand Jury in the Thaw murder case.

Two subpoenas have been served upon the actress, but she has failed to obey either of them. The second one calling for her appearance before the Grand Jury expired to-day.

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SAD LESSON SUGGESTS ITSELF IN THE CHARGE BROUGHT AGAINST BOY

BY REV. ALBERT E. GEORGE.

Can it be true that a fifteen-year-old boy would raise a murderous hand against his own father?

The father who cared for him in earlier life, watched his growth from an infant, played with him as a child on his knee, was happy upon his return from his daily work to receive the greetings of his little son. What delight he took in seeing him first go to school, for instance; to know that the boy was some day to be a man, and be contented in knowing something about himself and the world where he lived.

What, a boy take the life of a father; the father living with his boy because he was in poor health, probably discouraged at the turn things had taken, and hoping for the comfort and peace of his companionship?

How could a child's hand be raised against a father?

It seems impossible.

It is so unnatural.

You can't believe it, you say to yourself. This is the last thing in the world to be charged with.

The thing may be true. If true, what a lesson is here made plain!

POWER OF A BAD IMPULSE.

When a boy lives too much under the control of a wicked impulse, he will come to a sad end.

Let that get the best of any boy, and he will do anything. It will make him hide the truth and give the impression that he is going to conceal his wickedness.

Nothing is too bad for a bad boy to do. He is sharp enough to get out of a difficulty.

Did this boy give way to the control of a wicked impulse? Did he persuade himself that he didn't care what happened to the father sitting alone in the house?

Did he feel tired of seeing the parent around?

Did he argue with himself that it doesn't make any difference how people go out of life?

That boy must now be thinking in his prison loneliness. Probably thinking, as Longfellow said, "the long, long thoughts of boyhood."

The weight of his thoughts may be trying him. If he is innocent of any charge, how happy he can be, even in his confinement.

MEANS MISERY TO THE GUILTY.

An innocent boy can be happy anywhere.

He knows himself what all this means. The prison cell means nothing to innocence. It means misery, torment and death to the guilty.

As one looks into his face, watches his movements, notes those eyes, and feels the shadow resting upon this youth, one wishes he could tell the fate.

Fifteen years of age means, naturally, innocence.

No boy really could do this deed who will remain true to his natural innocence.

Speak, Edward Melkie, out of the depths of your heart!

Let the world feel the true story of your father, respected his years and smoothed his brow from care and trouble.

That's what the world wants to know.

Don't darken our horizon with any horrible deed. It is a sad world, anyway; even a boy can brighten it.

Probably you will speak the word and save us the misery of thinking you have destroyed the pure innocence of your boyhood days.

CHARGE BOY WITH KILLING HIS FATHER

Continued from First Page.

a case of suicide was generally accepted. Edward Melkie, the son, told the officers when the body was discovered that when he went home from school that day his father said that he was tired of life and that he was going to end it. Melkie, according to the boy, the elder Melkie drew the fatal shot, and he held the revolver with his left hand and laid it on the ice chest.

In his investigations of the case Lieut. C. Neal, deputy chief of the State police, discovered that, while the bullet entered Melkie entered the left side of his face, the wound was right-handed, and that led to a suspicion that there was foul play in connection with it.

Further investigation showed that there had been frequent quarrels between the boy and his father because of Edgar's refusal to go to school. According to the State police there was a quarrel between the two on the afternoon of the tragedy.

The inquest was held before Judge Berry of the Lynn police court, was continued for several months for various causes, the last session having been held in August.

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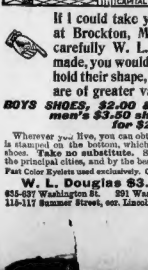

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THINK CHINAMEN SMUGGLED IN AT NAHANT; SEARCH TWO CITIES

Lynn Boatman Tells Police of Meeting White Man and Fifteen Celestials.

United States revenue officials are today scouring Lynn and Boston in their search for fifteen of the thirty-three Chinamen being smuggled into this country from Newfoundland, on the report that this number was landed at Nahant and made their way to Lynn under guide of a white man. The report comes through the Lynn police, to whom William H. O'Neil of that city states that he saw the Celestials and the guide coming from the direction of Nahant. O'Neil says that the guide asked when the electrics left for Boston and being told, hurried to get a car. William Curver of the same city substantiates O'Neil's statement.

Thus far the search along the New England coast by the revenue officials has failed to locate the Frolic, although the vessel has been reported in several places, the last being along Long Island Sound, where the New York officials have been patrolling the waters. Last night's search in the Sound was fruitless.

Three Shots at Yacht.

There was considerable excitement in Lynn last night when a yachting party in a large sloop, chartered by Channing Williams of High Point, was fired upon three times and chased by the revenue cutter Dexter. The Dexter was patrolling along the Nahant shore in hopes of falling in with the Frolic. The Dexter could not catch the sloop, but the Dexter heard the shots and came around from the other side of Nahant and headed off the yacht.

It was then found that the yacht was not the Frolic and apologies were in order. Mr. Williams accepted the situation and entertained the revenue men for a short time, after which they resumed their patrol. Several smaller craft along the shore were attracted by the firing of the shots and joined the chase after Mr. Williams's yacht.

The story told by Mr. O'Neil, who lives at No. 10 Court street, Lynn, is that he met a rough-looking white man on Washington street, near the Nahant shore, on Wednesday night, and that he had about fifteen Chinamen with him. The man asked O'Neil what time the electric cars went to Boston.

O'Neil is a member of the Kings Beach volunteer life-saving crew, and owns a sloop which he keeps moored in Lynn harbor. Late Wednesday night he had put up his boat and was standing on lower Washington street when the white man and a band of Chinamen appeared.

It was too dark to get a good description of the stranger, but he was tall and wore a slouch hat.

It is thought that this band was landed in Nahant the day before the revenue cutters began to patrol the coast. There are no Chinamen living in Nahant, and it is seldom that any visit that place.

It is also reported to-day that a two-masted sixty-foot yacht answering the description of the Frolic was sighted at 2 o'clock yesterday morning four miles off Cape Poge, in Vineyard Haven sound.

The yacht's actions aroused the suspicion of Second Officer A. S. Parker of the British tramp steamer Beatrice, which

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CAPE SABLE
COURSE OF FROLIC
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FROLIC WAS CHASED BY U.S. REVENUE CUTTERS AS FAR NORTH AS PORTLAND BEFORE RETURNING TO NAHANT AND SLIPPED IN THERE AT NIGHT. AT LANDING, A BOAT WITH 33 CHINAMEN WAS SEEN TO PUT OFF FROM HER. LATER THE CHINAMEN WERE SEEN ON THE STREETS OF LYNN AND BOSTON. ONE OF THE CHINAMEN WAS SEEN TO BUY A TICKET FOR BOSTON AT THE LYNN STATION.

Diagram map showing course of the Frolic with her Chinese cargo and points where she has tried to land.

Still Pursuing Frolic.

The report that the government has given up its search for the yacht Frolic, which is suspected of attempting to smuggle a cargo of Chinamen into this country, was emphatically denied this morning by A. P. Schell, Chinese immigration commissioner at this port.

"There is no foundation for that story, or the statement that the Frolic may have landed her cargo," said Mr. Schell. "We will keep every man at work, as we have been doing all along. We don't know where the Frolic is at the present time, but she is bound to come to Boston at some time or other, whether this month or next month, as she is registered here, and her captain lives here.

"She was due off Boston in nine days' time from the day she left Newfoundland. Those nine days were not two days ago. The only reason the government has not captured her before this is owing to the story in one of the Boston papers, giving the Frolic all the warning she needed of our plans to capture her.

May Have Gone Back.

"In this way they were able to thwart all our arrangements, even after they were at Yarmouth, N. S., and in all probability they were warned at that place. It is probable that the Frolic may have taken this warning and doubled on her course, going back again. She could unload the Chinamen where she took them on and return here without them."

The revenue cutter Gresham, which has been patrolling the coast, assisted by two steam launches, was in the harbor this afternoon, coaling up. She was due to leave at 3 o'clock to resume her vigil along the coast for the Frolic.

arrived in port yesterday from Buenos Ayres, via New York. He had heard nothing of any yacht wanted for smuggling Chinamen, but the incident of the two-master was so unusual that it was noted in the Beatrice's log book that a yacht was passed at 1:30 a. m. that arted queerly.

DANA TO TAKE PAY FOR TRAVELLING ABROAD

BACK FROM EUROPE, SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE SAYS "WHY CERTAINLY."

Judge William F. Dana, of the Superior Court, to-day stated that he expects to be paid the $1,625 representing three months' salary that has accumulated while he has been travelling in Europe. Judge Dana has never sat upon the Superior Court bench, or performed one stroke of work to earn the $1,625.

He sailed for Europe on July 18, but nine days after he was sworn into the office. He was appointed by Governor Guild in the face of the protests of leading unions all over the State. Judge Dana arrived home from Europe to-day on board the White Star liner Canopic.

"Why, certainly, I expect to get paid from the time I qualified," he said in reply to the question of the BOSTON AMERICAN reporter who met him when the steamer came into her dock.

Left Boston July 18.

He was met at the entrance to the saloon cabin on his way to the dock. He was dressed in a natty dark suit of dark cloth, wore a red necktie and a straw hat and carried a light overcoat. He appeared to be in good health, his face was bronzed from the ocean voyage and he responded cheerily to the reporter's "good morning."

"Yes, I had a very pleasant trip," he said in reply to questions. "We have just come from Naples. I travelled in company with Judge Lathrop of Worcester. We made an extensive tour of northern Italy—and Naples is no better than Boston," he added Judge Dana with a smile.

"When did you leave Boston?" he was asked.

"On July 18th last."

"You expect to get paid your salary as Judge of the Superior Court for the time you were away?"

"Why, certainly, I expect to get paid from the time I qualified," replied Judge Dana, appearing surprised.

Surprised at Questions.

"Did you qualify before you left?"

"Why, most assuredly I did, but why do you ask these questions?"

"Because it would be interesting for the public to know in view of the fact that you went to Europe immediately after qualifying."

"I don't want to be interviewed," replied Judge Dana, angrily. "I will not be interviewed," leaning and starting to walk away.

"Will you fight any proceedings that may arise regarding your salary," he was asked.

"I expect no controversy," replied Judge Dana, walking off.

While he was talking Judge Dana appeared nervous. He kept shifting his overcoat from one arm to the other, and when he finally left the reporter he was evidently disturbed about the line of questions.

The Boston Central Labor Union voiced the sentiments of organized labor throughout the State when it adopted resolutions protesting against his appointment, because he had always been with the corporations and courts and against all measures likely would benefit the wage workers.

As a member of the State Senate he cast the deciding vote when the overtime bill to relieve the condition of women and children working in the mills and factories of the State was defeated.

ALLEGED RAILROAD THIEVES ARE HELD

Charles S. Wentworth, twenty-three, Barry Jackson, twenty-one, and Thomas J. Hayes, twenty-one, all residents of Lawrence, were held in $500 bonds for trial by Judge Wentworth in the Somerville District Court to-day on the charge of larceny. The men were arrested by Railroad Detectives Mahlick of the Boston & Maine railroad yards at West Somerville. They had a quarter of a million dollars' worth of men's clothing in their possession, alleged to have been stolen from freight cars. Melville G. Webber and Joseph B. Hanson were held in $500 each charged with breaking and entering the grocery store of F. F. Chester.

MUCK, NEW SYMPHONY CHIEF, AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—On board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, in to-day from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg was Carl Muck, director of the Boston Symphony Society.

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TRAPPED SLEEPING IN BLAZING STABLE

MEDFORD MAN DYING IN HOSPITAL FROM TERRIBLE BURNS.

MEDFORD, Oct. 2.—Left slumbering in the loft of a stable while fire ragged fiercely underneath and on all sides of him, Frank Moran, fifty-eight years, was overcome by smoke and terribly burned in a stubborn blaze that broke out in George I. Robinson's stable, No. 13 Ussling street, Medford, at 5 a. m. to-day. He is now at the Malden Hospital. His recovery is doubtful.

Two horses, which were the only animals in the stable, were found roaming around outside the burning barn when the fire department arrived and it was supposed that Moran, who was a hostler and slept in the second story of the barn, had freed them and was safe himself.

Not until the fire was well under control and grooms were heard coming from the loft did the firemen realize that Moran was trapped.

They recommenced the fight to save him and finally reached him after he had become unconscious. He was hurried to the Malden Hospital in the police ambulance.

FIRST TO REACH MOUNTAIN PEAK

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 2.—For the first time the top of Mount McKinley has been reached. A party of tourists made the climb. They reached an altitude of about 22,800 feet. At the top their thermometer registered 18 degrees below zero.

SHOW BURNED; MEN MISSING

ASHTABULA, O., Oct. 2.—The Winter quarters of the Main-Cummins Wild West Show burned at Geneva last night, entailed practically a total loss.

The show closed its season Saturday and went into quarters Sunday. All the animals but four elephants and three lions were burned. One human body has been found and several other employes are missing.

Monday was pay day and Main had trouble settling with his men, resulting in his being knocked down by an Indian. It is supposed the Winter quarters were fired for revenge.

FIRE FROM PEANUT ROASTER.

A fire which started in the building at 1,000 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, last night, occupied as a fruit store by Antonio Marchetti, caused a loss of $3,500. Burning coke from a peanut roaster caused the fire.

BOY SINGER IS SENT BACK HOME

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Detectives arrested and turned over to the Gerry Society Ernest Golden, a fifteen-year-old boy of Manchester, N. H., and the boy's parents for his parents, who will take him back home. Young Golden is gifted with a very fine soprano voice, and he is well known in his home city as a singer of rare promise.

He came to New York to start out upon his professional career without the consent of his parents, and he had been engaged for a theatrical agent when the detectives found him in a boarding house. Young Golden was to have started for Florida this morning with the troupe, but he will go back home instead.

ROGERS GIVES SCHOOL FIELD.

FAIRHAVEN, Oct. 2.—Henry H. Rogers has presented this town with the finest school athletic field in this part of the State, to adjoin the new Rogers High School.

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DEACONNESS QUITS CHURCH WORK TO WED

Pretty Methodist Religious Laborer Becomes Bride of Malden Man.

Christine Isabelle McDonald, for four years a deaconess in the Methodist Deaconess Training School in this city, and one of the most beautiful young women ever entered at the school, gave up her religious calling that she might become the bride of Charles M. Cox of Malden, whom she met while assisting the pastor of the church where the wedding occurred last night.

Met Her Fate in Malden.

A few weeks ago Miss McDonald was assigned to the Robinson M. E. Church at Malden to assist the Rev. C. W. Blackett in his pastoral duties. While visiting in the parish the pretty little deaconess called at the home of Eugene H. Fox and there met her fate, the son of the house—Charles. The two fell in love at first sight and two weeks ago Miss McDonald laid away her little gray uniform and prepared her trousseau.

The wedding occurred last night, and Rev. Mr. Blackett performed the ceremony. The happy young couple escaped from their friends in an auto after the reception and are now enjoying their wedding trip.

Will Live in Somerville.

George A. Flagg was the best man and the maid of honor was Miss Catherine McAskill. The maids were the Misses Mary Cox of Malden and Grace Twining of Jamaica Plain. Little Miss Florence MacHeath of Malden was the flower girl.

Upon their return from the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Cox will live in Somerville.

MRS. PLATT TO TRY AND CONFER WITH HUSBAND

Aged Senator Returns to His Summer Home; Refuses to Discuss Divorce Story.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—Senator Thomas C. Platt still maintains silence over the reports of his marital trouble.

"I have nothing to say; nothing at all," said Senator Platt when asked if it was true that his young wife purposed bringing a suit for a divorce against him.

Mrs. Platt returned to the Platt Summer place at Highland Hills, N. Y., last night. It was said in Highland Mills that the Senator refused to see her in New York yesterday, and that she might try to-day to bring about a conference. When seen to-day Mr. Platt said: "I have nothing to say."

It is declared now that the papers in Mrs. Platt's suit for a divorce have been served already on Senator Platt.

HARVEST PARTY BY THE CARNEY NURSES

The nurses of the Carney Hospital will hold their second annual harvest party in St. Augustine's Hall, South Boston, next Monday evening. The Hyperion orchestra will furnish music and a very promising programme has been arranged.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The crop-estimating board of the Agricultural Department made the following report this afternoon: The average condition of the cotton crop on September 25 was 71.6, as compared with 77.3 on August 25, 1906; 71.2 on September 25, 1905; 75.8 on September 25, 1904, and a ten-year average of 68.7.

It is stated in the report that the above report does not reflect the damage done to the cotton crop since September 25 by the recent storm.

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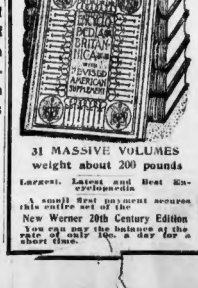
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INSISTS ON BEING TRIED IN BRIBE CASE

Alderman White of Chelsea Refuses to Accept "Nol Pros" Motion.

DENIES CHARGE ON STAND

Alderman David White of Chelsea, accused of soliciting a bribe to vote for former Alderman Hall, a colleague in the office of City Auditor in that city, took the witness stand to-day and denied the accusation. This was after Assistant District-Attorney Dennison, who is conducting the prosecution of White, had asked Judge Bond to nol pros the case.

"After a careful examination of the law," said Mr. Dennison, "I have concluded that instead of the indictment being drawn under the common law, it should have been drawn under the statutes. I therefore nol pros this case."

Attorney Philip J. Doherty of counsel for Mr. White was on his feet at once.

Refuses to Accept.

"The defendant will not accept," he said. "He will go on the stand and tell a clean, straightforward story that will be a complete denial of the evidence introduced by the government."

Counsel for the defendant yesterday endeavored to have the indictment quashed on the ground that it was defective. Judge Bond, however, ruled against the motion. Mr. Dennison's offer to nol pros to-day caused considerable surprise.

Alderman White, who said he had lived in Chelsea for twenty years, and had been employed by the Forbes Lithograph Company for eighteen, was asked by Attorney Doherty:

"Did you ever suggest to Hall that you would accept money for your vote?"

"Never," replied White.

"Did you ever tell Alderman Cornell that you would get $150 from Hall and give Cornell half of it if he, too, would vote for Hall?"

"No, sir, I never did."

"Did you ever write or cause to have written a letter to Hall regarding your vote for him?"

"I did not."

Says He Got Unsigned Note.

Hall declares that he got an unsigned note on the eve of the election of a city auditor in Chelsea on January 15 last, and that he supposed it came from Alderman White.

When White was cross-examined by Assistant District Attorney Dennison, he said that he had promised to vote for a man named Cox six months before the election took place. Previously he had admitted that he had frequently talked with Hall in reference to the latter's candidacy.

"If you had promised to vote for Cox," asked the Assistant District Attorney, "why did you talk with Hall?"

"Because," said Alderman White, "I couldn't get away from him—he continually chased me, on one occasion he begged me to vote for him. He said he had seven votes and only needed one more to win. That was two days before the election. He came to me at night. I then told him outright that I couldn't vote for him—that I had promised my vote to Cox."

"Did you ever talk to Alderman Cornell about Hall's candidacy?"

"No, sir; never."

Representative Walter Spooner, Dr. Thomas J. Ball, Senator John E. Beck and George E. Bemister testified as to White's good character before Attorney Doherty, for the defense, and Assistant District Attorney Dennison, for the State, addressed the jury.

PALMA MOVES FROM PALACE IN SILENCE

HAVANA, Oct. 2.—Ex-President Palma left the palace at 9 a. m. to-day. He bade farewell to his apartments to many friends, including Generals Montalvo and Rodriguez, and then descended the grand staircase and, accompanied by his family, entered a closed carriage and was driven to the ferry to Regla, where he took a train for Matanzas.

His departure was witnessed by a small gathering of loungers in front of the palace, but there was no demonstration of any sort.

A cable has been sent to Governor Winthrop of Porto Rico to try to get here by a week, as Mr. Taft and Mr. Bacon desire to leave in two weeks so as to be in Washington about the middle of the month.

Moderates Criticise United States.

American intervention in Cuba is sharply criticised in a manifesto issued by the executive committee of the Moderate party. The manifesto summarizes the attitude of the party, eulogizes ex-President Palma, his actions, reiterates the legality of the last elections, and denies all responsibility for the revolution and the results thereof. The document asserts that the basis presented by President Roosevelt's commissioner was practically the same as that submitted by the Liberals.

In justification of their action in deserting Congress, the Moderate leaders say that intervention was then already accomplished and that the American commissioners, in order to back their erroneous interpretation of the situation, sent a letter to the Speaker of the House stating positively certain conditions as essential for the person eligible to the presidency, liberty of action, and it therefore resolved not to return to Congress. The manifesto says in conclusion the party will always sustain social order and those same principles which will eventually restore to Cuba the integrity of her institutions.

Call to Lay Down Arms.

General Machado of Santa Clara has issued a circular urging all patriotic Cubans in the island to lay their arms down, return to their homes, protect life and property from the wandering malcontents infesting Santa Clara Province and to accept no one who has served the government.

Governor Taft has sent a telegram to Governor Alcazar of Santa Clara Province urging him not to resign and saying his assistance in this crisis is needed, especially in the matter of discharging the militia, as Governor Alcazar had much to do with the organization of this body.

Following this it became known that Governor Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon had called for their retiring to John Bern here, a step which will strongly cement the bonds of affection between the Cuban people and the American provisional administration.

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BOY ACCIDENTALLY TOUCHED BUTTON; CALLS PARENTS AND FIREMEN TO SCHOOL.

Through the carelessness of one of the boys accidentally struck the button of the pupils an alarm of fire from the Sarah G. alarm with his elbow. Head Master Charles Baker School on Perrin street, Roxbury, was C. Hains immediately gave the fire drill signal, and the 500 children fell into line and marched out in the building.

Anxious parents from all over the section rushed to the school, but when told by Mr. Hains that there was no fire they quickly left for their homes.

Mr. Hains said: "The ringing in of the alarm was purely an accident. I can assure their rooms at recess hour that one of the no malicious intent on the part of the boy."

MYSTERY IN ARM AND HAND FOUND ON RAILS

Strange Discovery on Worcester Viaduct Puzzles the Police.

Special to the Boston American.

WORCESTER, Oct. 2.—Worcester police and the railroad authorities are investigating a mystery surrounding a man's hand and forearm found on the Front street railroad viaduct early to-day. While the case may be only an ordinary railroad fatality, the absence of any body to match the severed arm puzzles the police.

Michael Riley, an employe of the Boston & Maine Railroad, was going to work by way of the viaduct at 6 o'clock to-day. He found the hand and arm, bare of clothing. A little farther along he found a white shirt sleeve, cut to ribbons and clotted with blood. Several hundred feet beyond, that hanging across a stub switch, was a blue serge coat, with one arm gone.

The police think that the man was struck by the Bar Harbor express which passes through here, over the viaduct, at 1.05 a. m. daily.

The hand and arm on the track seem to be those of a working man. There is a small gold ring on the little finger of the hand.

In the coat was found a buff-colored slip of paper, four inches long and one and one-half inches wide. On one side it was marked "Official ballot." On the other, "Lexington." Yes." It looks like a ballot used in some small community where the Australian ballot system was not in force.

WAS TOWN TREASURER.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 2.—Davis S. Ray, town treasurer of East Providence, died yesterday at his home.

CARRY WOMAN DOWN LADDER FROM FLAMES

Heroic Work of Fireman and Officer Saves Life at Dedham.

By heroic work on the part of Fireman Dave Malange and Officer Fred Hogan, Miss Lizzie Albright of Dedham was to-day taken from her blazing home at No. 35 Cundy street, down a ladder from a second story window. Miss Albright was badly burned about the face and neck and her hair was turned to a crisp. She was taken to the home of Mrs. C. F. Ingalls, a neighbor, where medical aid was summoned.

The fire started in the ground floor of a two-story dwelling house. Mrs. Lincoln, who occupies the lower floor, was making a fire of dry shingles, and on leaving the kitchen for a second returned to find the room in flames. She called to Miss Albright that the house was on fire. On opening the door of her apartments Miss Albright was met with a cloud of flame. She screamed and rushed to a window, but before she could jump Hogan and Malange were on the scene and had the ladder in place.

Miss Albright's condition is considered serious. The building is badly damaged.

BOIL ON NECK KILLS WORCESTER MAN

WORCESTER, Oct. 2.—A boil on the neck caused the death at his home yesterday of Charles A. Williams, a prominent figure in the financial circles of Worcester. Mr. Williams was ill only forty-eight hours. The boil was lanced. Blood poisoning set in and the patient grew rapidly worse.

'RALLY FOR IRELAND', WAS THE SLOGAN

Thousands Cheer for Emerald Isle and Orator O'Connor at Philadelphia.

SAYS FREEDOM IS IN SIGHT

Special to the Boston American.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 2.—"Rally for Ireland" was the slogan that swept like a huge wave over the meeting at the Academy of Music last night.

From pit to dome the great theatre was packed with an enthusiastic gathering of Celtic sympathizers that broke loose at every mention of Ireland's wrongs.

Time and again men stood up in their seats, waved emblems of the "dear auld sod" and shouted themselves hoarse as the speakers proclaimed in ringing tones that the time was not far distant when the little Isle, true to the immortal Robert Emmett's words, would take her place among the nations of the earth in shorter time than many true patriots dared to think of.

John O'Callahan, national secretary of the United Irish League, was a prominent figure at the great rally, and his reception was warm and hearty as he stepped forward to open the meeting.

He said, in substance, that the hope and shrine for the promotion of home rule in Ireland came from America; that this great country had given such support to the movement that all Irishmen felt that freedom was near at hand.

Mr. O'Callahan then introduced Governor Pennypacker and Mayor Weaver, who were rendered a warm reception.

The Governor was given the chair of honor, and Mr. T. P. O'Connor, of Liverpool, England father of the Irish party in the British Parliament, was the orator of the evening. He was assisted by John Redmond and Edward Blake, Irishmen whose hearts and souls are bound up with the welfare of their native country. Mr. O'Connor's reception was overwhelming, and it was many minutes before he could stop the tide of enthusiasm that rolled up in volumes as he stepped forward to speak.

In impassioned sentences he told of what had been done and what was still to be done before Ireland could be free. In spite of how the hated landlord system had been done away with and how tenants can now, by paying the government, acquire the land on which they live for less than they formerly paid out in yearly rentals.

Michael J. Ryan, Colonel John F. Finnerty, of Chicago, and T. D. Fitzpatrick also spoke of the work done in this country.

PAYS $83 FOR $18 SEAT AT SYMPHONY SALE

Eighty-three dollars was paid for a seat for the rehearsals of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, sold at auction yesterday in Symphony Hall. Only $18 seats were placed on sale, these seats having been raised at $12 in previous years. The $10 seat, formerly $7.50, will be auctioned off to-day. The seat which brought $83 was No. 10 in row I. Seat 20 in the same row brought $75.

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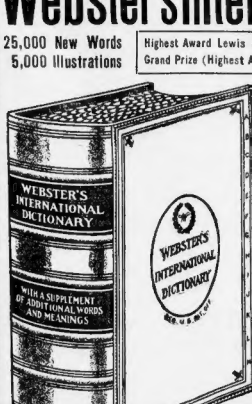

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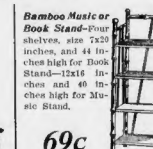

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CROWD CHEERS HEARST FOR INDEPENDENCE

Declaration, "I'm Not for Murphy," Rouses Big Brooklyn Meeting.

ANSWERS MAN IN GALLERY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—William Randolph Hearst electrified a big crowd in Brooklyn's Casino last night by suddenly deviating from his address and answering a man in the gallery with a ringing declaration of independence.

Mr. Hearst was pointing out that the Buffalo convention had released the Democratic party from the domination of the corporations.

"How about Murphy?" demanded a man in the crowd.

The crowd of fifteen hundred rose in anger and demanded the removal of the interruptor. A policeman moved forward and was about to conduct the man out.

Thousands Wildly Cheer.

"No, no, my friends," cried Mr. Hearst, lifting his hand. "Pray no more attention to him than I do to Murphy."

For an instant there was complete silence, and then a wild cheer burst over the hall. Mr. Hearst again raised his hand for silence, and, as he was about to resume speaking, a man on the platform cried:

"That is the first rousing statement of the campaign."

Once again the wild cheering was renewed, and again Mr. Hearst pleaded for silence. When quiet had finally been restored he said:

"I must correct the gentleman. This is not the first statement. I have said all along, no matter for what office Murphy or any other boss was for me. I was not for him."

Honestly First of All.

Renewed cheering here interrupted the speaker once more, and for a minute he was compelled to stand, mutely appealing for order. When quiet was restored he continued:

"I have said all along, no matter what citizens or groups of citizens, or conventions of citizens, were for me, I would still stand as the candidate of the Independence League. I have said all along, no matter if nominated by every party in the State of New York, I would conduct this campaign according to my own honest opinions, and that I would, if elected, conduct my administration according to my own convictions."

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Scotch ragtime makes a kilted hit in "The Rich Mr. Hoggenheimer" at the Hollis Street Theatre.

It's a fearful combination, the gaelic snuh and the syncopated measure, making one think of a combination of oatmeal and watermelon so far as racial characteristics go. But it's pretty to see when Georgia Caine, so favorably remembered in "The Earl and The Girl," comes out to sing "The Bagpipe Serenade." A chorus of six girls of course follows her. The girls can dance. The Scotch kilts, etc., which they wear don't hinder their dancing in the least. They get away with a Scotch hornpipe, one of those provocative melodies, and slide into ragtime, with straight rick-with dancing to match. And the sight of those kilted kids with their ragtime steps is attractive and unique.

Sam Bernard is "Pigsy Hoggenheimer," as he was in "The Girl From Kays," only instead of wanting to marry Hattie Williams, he is now married happily. "My wife's a splendid woman, he says. "I'm very happy. But she's fatty."

Sam Bernard is Sam Bernard. He is the comedy Hoggenheimer all the way through, except where he is hampered at the close by a laudable but labored effort on the part of the book—the work of Harry B. Smith—to inject some pathetic lines for Hoggenheimer and his son. One almost expects, after this heartfest, to hear Bernard back to reciting once again "My Face on the Barroom Floor." But that was a long time ago.

PARK SQUARE RINK OPENS WITH BOOM

With an attendance of exactly 10,002 people, the Park Square Roller Skating Rink opened its fall and winter season yesterday.

The Park Square rink possesses the most excellent skating surface of any in the world to-day, containing over 72,000 square feet of rock maple flooring, polished to reflect like a looking glass.

It looks as if this season will be gifted with record-breaking crowds day after day. Three sessions are scheduled, daily from 10:30 a. m., to 12:30 p. m.; 2 p. m. to 5 p. m.; 7:30 to 10:30 p. m. Band concerts will be rendered by the Park Square Rink Band every afternoon and evening and 5,000 seats will be absolutely free for the patrons.

Globe Theatre

The Four Mortons, of vaudeville fame, opened a week's run at the Globe Theatre last night to a packed house in the three-act musical farce, "Breaking Into Society." They were supported by a large, well-drilled and shapely chorus that knows how to sing. The Mortons are as funny as ever, and they all dance as well as when seen in Boston last Winter. If one wants a good, hearty old-fashioned laugh of the type that will endanger the buttons on the trousers, just witness the play. It is as fine a grape juice press train and snappy as a ginger cookie.

Columbia Theatre

As sparkling and effervescent as the name, the Champagne Girls dispensed good cheer to two good-sized audiences yesterday. George B. Alexander, who leads the funmakers, lived up to all the good things said about him. The buffoonery was broad, but the olio was far better. The biggest hit was made by Montgomery and Cantor, who had a few surprises in the way of eccentricities.

Grand Opera House

Smiles, glistening teeth and fun were the chief factors at the Grand Opera House last evening, for Lottie Williams opened there a week's engagement in "My Tom-Boy Girl" a musical drama that is thrillingly dramatic at times and always interesting. Miss Williams has a pleasing voice, but her work is strong and she leaves a forceful personality. Chief among her talents is her perfect naturalness.

"Music Master" Is Season's Masterpiece

David Warfield Reveals Wonderful Ability in Character Work.

If "The Music Master" were not worthy the title of masterpiece because of its touching story, it would be for its atmosphere and its perfect realism; if not for its accurate character drawing, it would be for its time remarkable stage settings; if not for the sincerity of its actors, for the strong grip which it takes upon the heart-strings of those who see it; if not for its genuine comedy, for the fact that it makes even hardened men weep over the tale of the father who loved his child when she knew him not; if not for any of these, then it would be a masterpiece because of David Warfield, the human, sympathetic, real figure that was the central figure, the Music Master.

"The Music Master" is not a new play by Far these long seasons, 108 weeks in all, it has been playing to standing room only in New York. Thousands of Bostonians have seen it there. Those thousands and as many more as could crowded themselves inside the Majestic Theatre, did on last evening when David Belasco presented the play in person with the original cast for the first time.

No player ever got heartier welcome than did Mr. Warfield. No player ever proved by himself more deserving. In "The Music Master" he has proven himself to be one of the greatest character actors of the world, and he seemed to be at his very best last evening. No one who saw him will ever forget the quaint humor of his opening scenes with his three artistic friends; the episode at the cabaret, where he increases his supply of wine a la millionaire; the manly tenderness for the boy of his daughter; his "Thank you, very much"; the scene at the door of the room where is the portrait of his dead wife, or the final act and his glad crying of the words, "My baby, my baby."

But there are other artists in "The Music Master" besides Mr. Warfield, and they make themselves felt. David Belasco has shown the good sense to appear for each character the one apparently best fitted, of all the players in the country, to portray it. It is not a one-star company, and each player is a delight. From little Antoinette Walker's part of Jenny to that of Charles Abbott's Henry Stanton, not an inflection, not a gesture, not a bit of facial expression that would make a perfect picture is forgotten.

The three friends were played by Messrs. Lackaye, Verande and Kohlmar—a genuine Italian for the Italian role, a genuine Frenchman for the role of the French artiste, and a real German for that of the German. Could anything be more perfect? And Mr. Schwartz, secretary of the Amalgamated Musical Association—and Mr. Ryan, the Brickmaker' Union delegate—and Mr. Costello, the dime museum proprietor—absolutely true to life and worth seeing for themselves alone. Then, when the list includes the Helen Stanton of the beautiful Miss Perry and the Miss Houston of Marie Bates, the cup of pleasure is brim full and running over. And there are a number of other worthy characters still unenumerated.

"The Music Master" may well be called the masterpiece of the season. It represent the work of Charles Klein, author also of "The Lion and the Mouse" and "The Daughters of Men," of David Belasco, the greatest stage manager in America, and of David Warfield, character actor par excellence.

DAVID WARFIELD, AS HE MADE HIS CURTAIN SPEECH.

HILLIARD SKETCH AT NEW ORPHEUM

Two performances, both crowded to the doors, were auspicious signs for the opening of another week at Percy Williams's Orpheum yesterday. Considerable interest was centred in the appearance of Robert Hilliard in his one-act play, "As a Man Sows." The plot is well constructed, and the piece, unlike most one-act affairs, has a moral. Ed Blondell and his company in a mirthful skit, "The Lost Boy," furnished an amusing contrast to the Hilliard number.

Clayton Kennedy and Mattie Rooney are as popular as ever in their unique sketch, "The Happy Medium," and Ed Revere, who presented the only number on the program held over from last week, is the cleverest acrobats seen in Boston in a long time.

Lyceum Theatre

The Lid Lifters, a newcomer in the ranks of burlesques, was the magnet which served to fill the cosy Lyceum yesterday. The opening piece, entitled "Oh! What a Night," is a lively comedy which depicts the adventures of a sporty old gentleman. Vaudeville was furnished by Lasso and La Belle, upside down dancing; Madden and Jess, Kelley and Bartlett's knockabout act, and "School Days" is the title of the closing farce.

MISS LASCHE A HIT IN 'THE OTHER GIRL'

One of the best plays that has ever been produced by a stock company in Boston is "The Other Girl," an Augustus Thomas comedy, at the Castle Square Theatre this week. The parts are all well handled, and the play thoroughly satisfying. Miss Effreda Lasche stands out apart from her fellow-players in the role of "Catherine," a very young, beautiful and impulsive heiress, who falls in love with a professional pugilist, although engaged to another man.

Louis Albion is especially deserving of credit for the clever work he displayed in handling the role of Sheldon, the gentlemanly prize fighter. He did not overact, as many might have done.

'FLAMATURGY' IS FINE EXPOSE OF THE FAYS

A complete "expose" of "Thaumaturgy" by the Fays, which has been produced in Boston, is being given by Chauncey D. Herbert, Miss Gertrude and Louis M. Granat as an act in two parts at Keith's this week. At yesterday's performances the audiences were almost spellbound when Mr. Herbert revealed to them the methods which his claims are used in the so-called "Thaumaturgy." Miss Gertrude and the Messrs. Herbert and Granat are called on the program "The Fhays" and their act "Flamaturgy."

After several minutes, spent in passing among the audience with two large pads of white paper upon which to allow the ladies and gentlemen to write their questions, Mr. Granat and Mr. Herbert retire from the orchestra and the under sheets on the pads are developed, bringing the questions out clearly. Miss Gertrude had then seemingly torn her and read them from under the silk drapery.

There were many other strong acts, including Lily Saville, English character comedienne; Ida Glenn, Princess Trixie, the horse with the human brain, the Rooney Sisters, Fred Walton in "Uncle's Dream," Mary Beiford, Valerie Bergere in "His Japanese Wife," and Davis Lewis.

Genuine Opera Music in "The Student King"

After the second act of "The Student King" at the Tremont last night Reignald de Koven, in his inimitably naive way, thanked everyone in the theatre, including everybody in the house, everyone upstairs and downstairs and everything in town.

And well he may, for rarely has a first production in Boston been so joyously received as his tuneful romantic light opera, sumptuously staged and beautifully sung. "The Student King" is not a buffet lunch nor yet a course dinner or banquet. It's a square meal for opera lovers—appetizing, satisfying. It is melodic, tuneful; at times catchy and always inspiring. And a typical Boston music-loving audience stamped its unmistakable seal of approval on the average production.

Motion—movement—is the keynote of "The Student King." Song follows chorus in the onward march, and chorus follows song so fast as to almost tread on the heels of the next in line. For the soprano De Koven has cut some difficult work, but all is skillfully, even charmingly done by Miss Lina Abarbanell of erstwhile grand opera fame. Her "Trouian Maid" and "Gay Lieutenant" were magnetic. Chorus, song, costume—all with student chorus, song, costume—all with student ring.

William Weedon as Francis, the title role, is best in the rousing song of the students' knelpe and in his duets with Miss Abarbanell. Alexander Clark and those impossible legs of his, as King Rudolph, and his councillors, Grunkleskoff and Merrilatt, furnish fun in abundance.

The chorus is superb as to girls and far and away out of the ordinary in the size and quality of the male contingent.

Palace Theatre

That clever band of comedians and handsome girls known as Fred Irwin's Majestics began a week's engagement at the Palace Theatre yesterday in their new burlesque entitled "Down the Line" and "For Girls only." Larry McCale has the leading role. The leading feminine roles are also played cleverly by Alice Anderson, Jeannette Lansford and Ida Sturgis. Among the specialties are Maude Harvey and Evelyn Walker, the Majestic Trio; Fay and Lulu Britton in "Dream," Mary Beiford, Valerie Bergere in "His Japanese Wife," and Davis Lewis.

Austin & Stone's Museum

By special re-engagement, Rendina, the armless and legless marvel, appears again this week in the curio hall. Professor Hutchinson's new lecture on the subject is one of his oratorical masterpieces. Mlle. Carrino made an instant hit with everybody when she put through a most interesting exhibition of two cunning frisky bears. Splendid examples of physical strength are the Zalmos, a man and woman who are as near perfect physically as it is possible to be.

Plays at Other Houses.

Colonial Theatre

Boston's appreciation of a thoroughly effective drama was shown last evening at the Colonial Theatre, when "The Daughters of Men" entered upon its second and last week with an exceedingly large audience. Boston has received the new play with all the heartiness that it had for its predecessor. It is a play of American life of the present day, and the pictures which it gives are truthful ones. The people might have been photographed from life so truly do they reflect the conditions which now exist in many circles.

Howard Athenaeum

A real old Howard show won favor yesterday. There are fifteen big "turns." The burlesque bunch, the Simon, Gardner Company, The Three Mitchells, and Carroll and Baker in an eccentric comedy part are great hits; Mitchell and Marron give a whole minstrel show; Brown and Wright in a novelty song; Hilton, comedy juggler; Collins and Collins, Phil and Carrie Russell with their dog actors, Tenaricus and Wathe, swift sombrero and Dette and Morin in a comedy acrobatic sketch are clever.

Bowdoin Square Theatre

"The Peddler," an interesting comedy drama with plenty of sensationalism, was a great favor at the Bowdoin Square Theatre yesterday. The title role is in the capable hands of Harry Brooks, and the clever part of Ned Stanton, son of The Peddler, is played interestingly by Raymond Bond. The Misses Annette Marchall, Gertrude Hinley, Alice Thornton and Vera Morrison have the female characters to present, and they do well the parts they assume.

Park Theatre

It was a rather unusual spectacle to see the long line at the box office of the Park Theatre yesterday and early last evening, for when a play has held the boards in this city for eight weeks it is to be supposed that the average theatregoer has had a pretty good chance to see it, but yesterday there was just as great interest to buy seats for "The Lion and the Mouse" as if it were an absolutely new attraction. The demand kept up without interruption until every seat in the theatre was gone, and when the curtain rose the capacity of the house was tested in every part.

Bijou Theatre

John Craig has discovered that there is a big demand among playgoers for farces comedies. People do like to laugh. Therefore the Bijou Theatre has been packed "jam full," as the saying is, at every performance recently, and last night when Mr. Craig put on "What Happened to Jones" the crowd seemed larger and more enthusiastic than ever. Mr. Craig, of course, played Jones, and it was a case of laughter all the time at his transitions from the card drummer to the Bishop of Ballarat. Mr. Craig made a capital professor, but the bit of the evening was made by Gertrude Berkeley in her patriotic dress.

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Special to the Boston American.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and Harry Payne Whitney are going into a dashing auto race over the Vanderbilt Cup course on Friday morning.

This will be a contest to reckon with second only in interest to the big races that will be run off on Saturday morning.

What the stakes are could not be learned, but it is not regarded as reasonable that these two young millionaires will risk their lives or limbs over the perilous course without putting something more than glory to make the race interesting.

Mr. Vanderbilt will be at the wheel of his big 90-horsepower Mercedes. This is the French machine which he brought over with the half intention of competing alone in the struggle for the cup, which he obtained. Whitney will guide his White steamer.

The match was fixed up to-day at the Garden City Hotel, where the men met.

"That's a fine car of yours," said Whitney to Vanderbilt.

Vanderbilt agreed, but dissented when Whitney went on: "But I've got a car that has got it on yours just a little, I think."

Challenge Quickly Accepted.

That settled it. Vanderbilt snapped out a challenge which Whitney accepted as soon as it was uttered.

While Vanderbilt was arranging the details of the race his cousin, Elliott F. Shepard, came within an ace of contesting the right of way with a long Island train at the crossing near Kings Hotel. Persons who saw the incident considered that Shepard experienced a narrow escape from injury or having his big Hotchkiss car smashed.

Shepard and his mechanician had just left Kings, headed for the railroad crossing. A signal man waving a red flag stood at the crossing, flagging the car hurriedly to give warning of an approaching train.

Just Missed Train.

Disregarding the signal, Shepard kept on. He had his machine under full control, but made no effort to stop it. The Hotchkiss cleared the tracks only a short distance in front of the pilot of the approaching train, which was moving at a good rate of speed.

The Vanderbilt cup course was muddy today and the trials made by the racing machines were slow.

Le Blon, driving a 35-horsepower Thomas, after he had made a lap in forty-five minutes, withdrew with a bad tire. Some of the other racers made no better.

Cagno, 120 horsepower Itala, went around in 40m. Latrgen, 120 horsepower Mercedes, 30m.; Tracy, 90 horsepower Locomobile, 43m.; Duray, 120 horsepower Benz, 30m. 30s.; Heath, 120 horsepower Panhard, 40m.; Lawwell, 110 horsepower Fraser-Miller, 39m. 20s.; Jenatzy, 120 horsepower Fiat, 39m.; Shepard, 130 horsepower Hotchkiss, 35m.

MAHOMET, THE NOTED BULLDOG

MAHOMET, the recently imported English bulldog owned by Miss L De Groot of New York, promises to make a sensation at the coming shows on this side of the water. Last week he won the blue ribbon for the best bulldog at the Bryn Mawr dog show, where the entries were numerous. To bring the winner to this country it cost the owner $1,700, which would appear cheap for such a fine animal.

Mahomet weights sixty pounds and is a winner of 300 blue ribbons in England, as well as any number of cups for being the finest dog of his kind.

He is descended from the same line as Rodney Stone, the famous bulldog who has swept the boards at all shows. He is to be shown all over this country, and will be a feature at the Boston show.

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Can Chicago Lose 4 and New York None?

Chicago still has seven games to play, three with St. Louis, three with Cincinnati and one with Boston. New York has six to play, four with Philadelphia and two with Boston. To win the championship New York must win all six, while Chicago must win four of her six, making seven. To equal this should count, the standing would be as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	93	59	.612
Chicago	93	60	.608

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON		WASHINGTON	
Hoey, 1.f.		Schlafly, 2b.	
Lowe, s.s.		Jones, s.s.	
Stahl, c.f.		Altizer, r.f.	
Stahlman, 1b.		Green, 3b.	
Wagner, 2b.		Heckman, l.f.	
Morgan, 3b.		Wilson, c.f.	
Freeman, r.f.		Schlei, c.	
Arbuckle, c.		Manager Griffith, p.	
Suwanstead, p.		Goodwin, p.	

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Manager Chief Stahl and his band of Boston players reached Washington at 7:30 this morning, and except for lost little time turning in for a short snooze in a vestibuled berth. They were all on deck at noon, and Jimmy Morgan, the extra second base, held quite a reception at the Arlington, nearly a hundred of the athletes crowding around him at one time.

Business Manager McBreen was enthusiastic over the trip. From the out end of the game, as the Bostons had burned their way over the Southern circuit to the West and the ticket sale was large.

Manager Chief was looking chipper and said that his band would take every game from the Washingtons, and that we would start off with Swearingood to-day.

Manager Garland Stahl said the Senators took their six losses to come from Chicago, and they were a sore lot this morning when they got in an hour behind the Bostons. They had lacked forty-eight hours of having an idle day for twelve hours over there.

Garland said he would pitch Milwaukee against Goodwin at Washington, and a good battle should result.

Lave Cross was out of the game for the rest of the season on account of a carbuncle on his neck. He was Boston's crack third baseman.

The weather continues cloudy and rain may stop the afternoon's sport.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	93	60	.608
New York	93	59	.612
Philadelphia	75	77	.493
Boston	59	94	.386
Washington	53	100	.346
Detroit	52	100	.342

GAMES YESTERDAY.

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GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Washington at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.

REDS PLAY LAST GAME HERE THIS SEASON

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	CINCINNATI.
Delan, r.f.	Burgelin, 2b.
Tenney, 1b.	Kelley, l.f.
Brain, 3b.	Jude, r.f.
Bates, c.f.	Smoot, c.f.
Howard, 2b.	Lobert, 3b.
Connaughton, s.s.	Schlei, c.
Cameron, l.f.	Corcoran, s.s.
Brown, p.	Ewell, 1b.
Pfeffer, p.	Weimer, p.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, Boston, Oct. 2.—A fair-sized crowd was present this afternoon to witness the fourth and last battle of the series and the final one of the season between the Tennessee and Reds.

The local bunch entered into the affray with plenty of confidence, induced by their two straight victories from the Western aggregation. Joe Kelley, Miller, Buggins, Tommy Corcoran and the other stars of the visiting constellation looked like nines to the Bostons, and they were determined to beat the Reds.

Pfeffer was the pitcher selected by Manager Tenney to do the pitching for the home team, and Jake Weimer, who was ousted from the battle yesterday by Umpire Rigler because of a weak-kneed kick, was the choice of Manager Hanlon for the rubber.

Manager Tenney is after all the remaining games that his team plays at home. After the Reds leave to-day the Brooklyns come here for three games. On Thursday a double-header will be played with the Dodger aggregation, and the Nationals will say good-bye to the fans until next season, when it is to be hoped they will play more consistent ball than they have put up this season.

The features of yesterday's game, which was won, 4 to 2, by the locals, was the appearance of Umpire Pulliam's much heralded arbitrator, Rigler. He has the reputation of dropping at the drop of the hat. It has been said that in the Western League he will call a man out for thinking of taking off his coat and scrapping with a recalcitrant player.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	93	60	.608
New York	93	59	.612
Pittsburg	92	58	.613
Philadelphia	75	77	.493
Cincinnati	64	86	.427
Brooklyn	62	88	.413
St. Louis	52	98	.347
BOSTON	52	98	.347

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At South End grounds—Boston, 4; Cincinnati, 2.
At Brooklyn—Pittsburg, 5; Brooklyn, 1.
At Philadelphia—First game, Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 0. Second game, Chicago, 4; Philadelphia, 3 (10 innings).
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GEORGIA HAS MOST DRASTIC AUTO LAWS

BY J. C. KERRISON.

Howard H. Hawkins of the Curtis-Hawkins Company is receiving the congratulations of all his friends on the great success achieved by him at the recent outdoor meet of the Worcester Automobile Club. Mr. Hawkins entered and drove his 40-horse power Great in those events, and is now the happy possessor of no less than several prizes, including three cups, three seconds, one third and the cup awarded the individual driver scoring the largest number of points, according to the best of authority. Mr. Hawkins should have one other first prize which he truly won, if being contended that he had tied with each other for the trophy, and declining to toss for its possession, the officials gave the cup to the other opposing. While regretting the loss of that cup, Mr. Hawkins is happy in the fact that by the majority of points he met cars of greater horse power and selling price than his own, and so scored most dignaltly. At the conclusion of the sports the Hawkins party of six came back to Boston in his car, and that, too, without shifting a gear.

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My friend Johnstone of the New York Sun has this interesting little remark to make:

Panama hats will become the universal headgear of automobilists if a certain physician has an investigating turn of mind has his way. By the use of a self recording thermometer this scientific gent man has discovered that a close fitting cap, such as is generally worn by automobilists, is the warmest kind of headgear available. From a high cliff he was found to be 10 degrees cooler than the peaked cloth cap which left a mark of 95 degrees Fahrenheit, while the outside atmosphere was only 78. The Panama hat was found to be the coolest head covering there is. The physician is of the opinion that he has discovered the cause of speed insanity in the shape of overheated brains brought on by improper headwear. He has therefore begun an extensive campaign of Panama hats for automobilists who wish to keep within the bounds of reason as defined by law.

The Georgia automobile law is acknowledged to be one of the most drastic in existence. It provides among other things that no person shall drive an automobile upon any public highway or in the built up sections of any incorporated city at a greater rate than ten miles an hour, or at a greater speed than a mile in six minutes, and that if more than one mile is covered in three minutes shall be the limit of speed allowed in built up districts.

Another provision is that no person injured in person or property through the negligence of an operator of an automobile shall have the right to sue and recover damages that drivers of automobiles stop their cars when horses or animals become frightened and prescribes the use of suitable bells, horns and other signal devices, while lights discernable at a distance of 200 feet, to be displayed one hour after sunset in one hour before sunrise, a red light to be displayed at the rear of the vehicle.

And yet it is said Massachusetts has the worst motor laws in the country.

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According to the recent compiled statistics, Italy has forty-five automobile manufacturers at the present time, with a gross capital of about $40,000,000. Fifteen of the forty-five concerns with an aggregate of $20,000,000 invested capital have been organized within a year.

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J. D. Price well known as the leading motorist of the country, and who has the White Mountain and Ormond connections in hot water, is the head of the motorists in a motorist himself. He has just run lapped over from Bretton Woods to the city, and after concluding a little business in the great big city four hours, left for the mountains. Mr. Price considers Autumn the best touring season in the year. Then nature is at her best, and offers to the motorist grander and sights not to obtain aside at other seasons.

CAMP TALKS RULES.

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Walter Camp will elucidate the rules of dematurized football at a general meeting of coaches, captains, officials and others interested in the game at the Chicago Beach Hotel next Friday.

The meeting will bring a representative from the football men of the different universities. It is estimated that every coach will be present, together with the captains of the various teams.

BALDWIN MEETS COODWIN AT LINCOLN A. C.

It's a championship battle at the Lincoln A. C. to-night when Chester Goodwin meets Matty Baldwin in the main bout of fifteen rounds.

Local fans appreciate the fact that two of the best boys in the featherweight class in New England are to face each other, who will go the limit of their fighting capabilities, as the winner is to be matched with Abe Attell, the premier mitt artist of the country.

There is much bitter feeling between the two boys, as they are ambitious to get ahead, and Goodwin has always succeeded in beating Matty when they met in the ring, which has been on three different occasions, but the last time Matty showed an error with his Chelsea rival that it was an injustice to give the decision against him. Now he intends proving that it was a mistake by beating Goodwin decisively, and will go at him fast and let no chances slip by to get him the count.

Of the two Matty has been coming along the faster, and has fought more during the year than Goodwin, and has that advantage of having seen more action and has accordingly benefited, and is to-day better equipped with ring culture than at any time in his fighting career. If he loses to Goodwin to-night it will put him back many pegs and prevents him from going after the champion game which he seeks.

There will be lots of friends of both boys present, certain that their respective favorite will win out, and Goodwin will probably ride on the back on account of his previous wins over Matty.

Baldwin has prepared for this contest as if it was the turning point of his career, and it will be if he loses.

Two good bouts will precede the main event, as Fred Bradley and John Carroll will tackle each other in the semi-final, and it is billed as a slugging fest while it lasts. In the opening number on the bill Jack Ahern meets Jackie Williams, a couple of fast steppers.

ROCHESTER CLUB IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The Rochester Baseball and Amusement Company has gone into the hands of a receiver.

This is the outcome of various actions to recover damages from injuries suffered when the bleachers fell at Culver Park on the afternoon of May 31, when more than two score persons were hurt.

Just what effect the appointment of a receiver will have upon baseball in this city is problematical, but it is quite probable that a new company will take hold of baseball here.

HORNE LOST TO SMALLEY.

In the opening match of the New England Class B amateur billiard tournament at the Hub Billiard Palace last evening, Smalley defeated Horne 200 points to 83. Holmes will play Klucken to-night.

SAYS TEBEAU MUST ACCEPT BOSTON OFFER

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—"If George Tebeau of Kansas City carries out a threat he is alleged to have made to take the Cutcher Shaw case into the courts," remarked President Pulliam of the National League, "he will find himself up against the ablest counsel the national league can secure. The agreement by which Cutcher Shaw of the Louisvilles was to be turned over to the Pittsburgs is not contrary to all baseball law, and had the national commission allowed it to go through a precedent would have been established that would be alone the very foundation of that portion of organized baseball that seeks the advancement of players and the fair and equitable bidding for talent on the part of the various clubs.

"We say that as soon as we have final portion of the agreement relating to the transfer of Pfeffer to Louisville and so pave out the purchase and made Shaw eligible to draft. Therefore we have given the opportunity to draft Shaw, and he was the only one of about seventeen players drafted by the Pittsburg not.

"The draft price of $1,000 has been paid by the Boston club for Shaw, and the only logical thing for Mr. Tebeau to do is to accept it. If he means to fight the National Commission to a legal way, well and good, but I think the suit will not cost the Pittsburg club, which would be made party to the suit, a cent."

CARSEY LOST TO WILLIAMS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 2.—In a hurry-up battle of ten rounds George Williams of Chicago was given the decision over Frank Carsey. Williams fought a clean, consistent battle, used excellent judgement and used both right and left to rare advantage. Carsey showed well in spots, but lost in attempting to mix it with his opponent at the short range.

Never for a moment did Williams break ground and he did the most of the leading after the third round. Carsey landed some blows in effective spots, but his hand was sore and the blows lacked steam to do damage.

DIGGER STANLEY MAY BOX WALSH YET

Matchmaker Murray of the Lincoln Club still hopes to get Digger Stanley, the English bantam, to return to Boston to meet Jimmy Walsh again. Last night Murray cabled Stanley that the club would grant all the demands he made, and asked him to start at once. If Stanley consents to come he will probably leave Liverpool Saturday. If he does, then he will arrive here in time to box on October 30, unless a special date is set for the bout.

IN PRACTICE AT THREE UNIVERSITIES FORWARD PASS TRIED OUT

It was a day of light practice yesterday for the Harvard squad, but it served to show that the forward pass has not yet been given up as hopeless by the coaches.

In the scrimmage, which was open, the play was used more frequently than before, and was by long odds more successful. In the game between the varsity and the second eleven, Kerans made a forward pass to Burnham which gained twelve yards, and later, when the varsity subs played the second team, Lockwood made two long gains on the play. One other attempt in each game failed.

There were more new men out. They were C. Roosevelt, Jr., '09, the President's son, Harry Tweed '07, who played a good game at halfback on the '07 class team last Fall, H. F. Burns '08, a stockily built man of 175, who will try for tackle or left tackle; M. Dorr '09, who was substitute last year, and J. W. Brown '08, another candidate for centre.

Forward Pass Helps Score.

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Oct. 2.—A touchdown was made by the second eleven during the Yale 'varsity in yesterday's practice. The second outplayed the first squad in a hard twenty-minute scrimmage. The 'varsity scored two touchdowns later.

A forward pass was largely responsible for the score against the 'varsity. Stuart by feigning a forward pass to the right of the 'varsity line, drew the first team that way, then let the ball go to Berger on the left and the latter went sixty yards before being tackled. With ten yards to go the second eleven tore through the varsity line and made the distance.

Captain Morse, a bit out of shape, stayed out of practice. Shoe going in at half. Morse will be in the Wesleyan game tomorrow. Levine, one of Yale's 1905 fullbacks, was given a try at centre. The play has showed no effects from the wrinkling of games by other colleges Saturday.

Not Successful at Hanover.

HANOVER, N. H., Oct. 2.—A touchdown put the Dartmouth team through the hardest scrimmage of the year yesterday. The first and second teams were used and part of the third and fourth teams.

Neither team was able to score. Stewart was injured early in the game, and Greenwood and Gilmo both had to lay off. The forward pass was tried and the ends kick, but without much success. Hobbs, McDonald and Bullock are still out of the game, and with the present injured list and the absentees, the outlook for Wednesday's game with Vermont is anything but bright. Ralph Glime was out coaching the ends.

BENNETT WON MARATHON RUN

CHICAGO, Oct. 2.—Dennis Bennett of Hamilton, Canada, won the Illinois Athletic Club Marathon race of 26 miles 385 meters here yesterday over a field of forty-two starters, covering the distance in two hours, forty-one minutes, thirty-three seconds, and establishing a new record. The closest rival at the finish was H. H. Hatch, of River Forest, Ill., whose time was 2:46.55. Harlnia Park, twenty-nine miles north of Chicago, was the starting point of the long run; the finish was at the Illinois Athletic Club house on Michigan avenue. Z. T. Armour, unattached, Chicago, was third, 2:55.46; Fred Lutz, Mohawk A. C., New York, fourth, 2:56.53; E. V. Scanlon, Chicago, Seventh Regiment A. C., fifth, 3:02.26.

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Won't Somebody Please Tell Us? How Old Is Jane?

Experts Disagree; Can You Settle the Question?

WHERE are all the GOOD mathematicians? Why don't some of them get busy and tell the judge how old Jane really is?

All sorts of answers are pouring in on the Puzzle Editor. Most of them appear to be right—they must be, for they are nearly all proved just the way we used to do it in school.

There's a wide range of opinion. Most every one seems to think Jane is somewhere about twenty years of age. The vast majority of answers range from nineteen years to twenty-five years.

Many deal in fractions, many in round numbers, and all think they're right—naturally. Here's the problem, try your hand at it:

Among the witnesses in a recent case in a city court was a woman who had been called to tell of the quarrel which led up to a hair-pulling affair between two of her neighbors in a big tenement house.

She took the stand and was sworn, and counsel for the defendant asked her name.

"Jane Synonds," she answered.

"How old are you?" asked the lawyer.

"Well," responded the witness, "I am the eldest of the family. There are fifteen of us, and there is just a year and a half exactly between the birthdays. I am just eight times the age of my little sister Eva, who is the youngest of the family. You can figure it out for yourself."

The Court and the lawyers are still figuring. See if you can make it out, and if you think your answer is correct send it to Puzzle Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 40 Summer street, Boston.

SAYS SHE'S 19½.

JANE'S youngest sister Eva is two years five months seven and a half days old, and eight times her age will make Jane one nineteen and a half years of age—figured this way: Jane was three years old when the third child was born, and so on till the fifteenth child, which makes her nineteen and a half years old.

JOHN J. YALES.
No. 3,840 Washington st., Forest Hills.

JANE IS 33

JANE is thirty-three years old. Fifteen of them, one and one-half years between each birthday, would be twenty-two and one-half years. Of course Jane is one of them; therefore take one and one-half years from twenty-two and one-half equals twenty-one. As she said there was exactly a year and a half between each, Eva must be one and one half years. Eight times one and one-half equals twelve. Twenty-one years and twelve years equals thirty-three years.

B. L. SEAVEY
Bristol, N. H.

ALGEBRA AGAIN

JANE Synonds is 25 years 8 months 17½ days old. Fifteen children with 1½ years between them makes 22½ years; 8 months; 17½ days. 25 yrs. 8 mos. 17½ ds.—XX—N—22½; 7X—22½; X—3½; 8X or Jane—25 yrs. 8 mos. 17½ ds.
PHILIP O. SMITH.
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HOW ABOUT MINUTES?

I calculate the age of Jane Synonds to be 25 years 6 months 11 weeks 1 day.
WALTER E. FORD
No. 57 West Friendship street, Providence, R. I.

23 YEARS, 7½ MONTHS

ALLOWING one and one-half years between each child, Jane, being the oldest, would be twenty-one years older than the youngest, which, divided by eight, would give you the age of the youngest, which is two years seven and a half months. Adding this to twenty-one years gives twenty-three years seven and a half months as Jane's age.
THOMAS M. DEMPSEY.
Malden.

TOO SIMPLE

JANE is twenty-one years old. Too simple to explain.
FRANK S. BLACK.
No. 1489 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury.

"Q. E. D."

SINCE there are fifteen children in the family and there is just one year and a half between their birthdays, Jane, the oldest child, must have been twenty years when Eva, the youngest, was born. And since Jane, the oldest, is eight times the age of Eva, Eva's age must be between two and three years, or must be exactly two years and nine months, and the oldest, Jane's age, which is eight times that of Eva's, must be twenty-two years. Q. E. D.
Charlton City. GEO. H. ROGERS.

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HINTS FOR YOUNG MOTHERS

WHEN bathing baby place the bath on a box or stool instead of on the floor. You will then be able to sit down while bathing the little one and will find it far more comfortable and less tiring.

Pet animals should always be properly fed and cared for, and children taught to look after their own particular pets, and never to encroach on those of the others.

Children can also learn to train their pets, but should not be allowed to abuse them, so that they become a nuisance to the rest of the household.

The nursery to daybook often becomes very overcrowded. Some children have toys simply showered upon them and can tire of them once the novelty has worn off.

It is a good plan to weed these out once or twice a year, and place them on one side. The upper shelf of a cupboard or a large box in the spare bedroom makes a good storehouse for these despised treasures.

Then one day when the children have been confined to the house by bad weather or some illness, and have exhausted and tired of all their present playthings, these new-old friends will be a welcome surprise to mother's hands and joy reigns in the nursery.

This plan keeps the nursery from being overcrowded and varies the monotony.

SWEEPING THE PORCH

SWEEPING the porch floors with a cloth-covered broom will preserve the paint much longer than ordinary sweeping.

AFTERNOON GOWN IN EMPIRE STYLE

Back of Gown.

THIS charming afternoon costume is in the new Empire style. The material is blue gray voile. Ruches of taffeta border the fichu, which is crossed. Lighter shaded crepe de chine forms chemisette and tucked sleeves.

The pipings are of blue velvet, the belt of silk, and the buttons of some fancy design, matching in color.

PRETTY COSTUME OF BLUE GRAY VOILE

Girls, Don't Sacrifice Comfort for Looks in Your Dress for Winter

You Can't Look Pretty When You Are Shivery and Cold in Costumes Unsuited to the Weather

By Beatrice Fairfax

BOSTON women do not know how to dress.

That sounds as an exceedingly strong statement, does it not? But I'm going to modify it somewhat—they do not know how to dress for cold weather.

There is not much snow on Boston sidewalks in Winter, but there is a great deal of raw, penetrating cold; the sort of cold that goes to one's very heart and marrow.

It is the sort of cold that brings pneumonia and grip in its wake. But, just because the sidewalks are not covered with snow, the women seem to think that the lightest of foot coverings is all that is necessary.

It is no unusual sight in midwinter to see a woman going about in thin-soled low shoes and no overshoes or rubbers.

A coat coming only to the waist line, and like as not open in front, is her only wrap.

The chances are that from head to feet she has not one warm, sensible garment on her person.

With the present fashion of elbow sleeves the coats are the merest apologies for wraps. The coats that come with the ordinary suits are not big enough to keep a baby warm, added to which they are not warmly enough lined.

The only way to get around the difficulty is to wear warm undergarments. A combination suit of lightweight flannel, or even of cotton, will keep the body warm and comfortable.

Cold is extremely unbecoming, for it means red nose and pinched, blue lips.

If you want to be good looking you must first be healthy looking. The body must have proper nourishment and be properly clothed.

Remember this in choosing your Winter outfit. First of all, buy a pair of commonsense boots—boots that will keep out the damp and cold. Then buy a light weight but warm petticoat.

Don't forget one or two suits of warm underclothing and a sweater or flannel sacque to wear under your suit coat.

Don't sacrifice looks and health to fashion. You can get a coat that will come down over the hips choose it in preference to one of the short ones.

Warm milk is a better liquid to start the day on than strong tea or coffee. Eat wholesome, nourishing food, and it will be much easier to keep warm when the cold days come. A plate of soup makes a better luncheon than a piece of pie. You must bear in mind that you cannot thrive in Winter on the same diet that was sufficient in Summer.

But fresh air you need all the year round. You must keep your windows open in Winter as well as Summer. Make a little flannel wrap which can be worn over your night dress, and that will keep the air from chilling you.

It seems rather absurd in these bright Autumn days to be talking about Winter wraps and coverings, but it gives time to plan and think about what is to be done.

If one thing you may all be very sure, and that is that you can't be cold and shivery and pretty at the same time.

Healthy circulation of blood and warm coverings will go far toward giving you rosy cheeks and strong bodies.

So be wise and buy your Winter outfit with an eye to comfort as well as style. It is quite possible, you know, to be warm and stylish at the same time.

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PRESERVED PUMPKIN

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BROWN BREAD

MIX one-half cup molasses, one-half cup sour milk, one teaspoon salaratus and a saltspoon salt; add one cup of sweet milk. Then one cup of yellow granulated corn meal, one-half cup rye meal, and one-half cup flour. Steam four hours without lifting steamer cover.

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HOT WATER CAKE

TWO eggs, beat ten minutes; one cup sugar, beat ten minutes; one cup flour and two teaspoons baking powder, and lastly add one cup boiling water. Bake in one-half hour in moderate oven.

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TO BOTTLE FRESH FRUIT

FRESH fruit, such as currants, cherries, plums and berries of all kinds. Get wide-mouth glass bottles, with new corks to fit tightly. Gather the fruit on a dry day and when perfectly ripe. Have the bottles thoroughly dry and burn a match in each one to exhaust the air, and quickly place the fruit in. Gently cork the bottles and place in a cool oven until the fruit has shrunk one-fourth. Then take the bottles out. Do not open them, but beat the corks in tight. Cut off the tops of the corks with melted wax. If kept in a dry place the fruit will remain good for a year.

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ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

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ABOUT A RING

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young man twenty-one years old and am keeping steady company with a young lady eighteen years old. We have been going together this past year, and we love each other very much.

We do not intend to get married for about three years to come, so we could it be proper for me to give her the engagement ring now, or should I wait till a year before our wedding? I'll thank you.

G. T. J.

THE time to give an engagement ring is when your engagement is announced, whether it be one year or ten before you are to be married. So give it to her now.

BREAK GRADUALLY

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a girl of seventeen years, and am considered quite a pretty girl. I have some young men friends who admire me very much. I have been keeping company with a young boy friend for about three years, but wish to break off with without hurting his feelings, but cannot imagine how. Your kind advice, Miss Fairfax, will help me along greatly.

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YOU might begin to gradually refuse his invitations and in a little time he would see that you did not care as much for him. Or perhaps it would be kinder to break all at once, telling him that you found you did not care for him and felt it only fair to tell him so. He will feel badly at first but will soon get over it.

A New Turn

"Go to New York at once; go to my room and get my pocketbook," he commanded, and she went.

This will give you an opportunity of going and arranging with your solicitor for the girl's defense—for your own defense, if need be—and for gathering what evidence you can both of you.

"Don't you see, you'll do her a heap more good by this plan than by letting yourself be arrested?"

"I believe you are right," cried Herries, suddenly.

"I know I'm right! There can't be two questions about it. You must catch the next train to New York.

"It's just coming in on the far platform the fast express. If you're going by it you'll have to be quick!

"Here's the key to my rooms. Now, above all, don't be rash! You'll have to run now. Good luck, old man!"

Herries gripped his friend's hand warmly, and watching the scene utterly puzzled and perplexed, Molly Renham, whom in his excitement Herries had not even noticed, touched the detective Grantham:

"Yes, I'm sure you're right. You've been a real friend, and I thank you a thousand times, old man."

Then John Herries ran to catch the express just coming in. Grantham watched him disappear; then, with a gloomy feeling, he walked to where Molly was standing.

Well, I'm glad we managed it, and that I was in time to catch Herries. Now I'll take you back home, Miss Renham," he said.

"I'm afraid you don't understand quite that I never meant to take a liberty. I'm not, I suppose, a mummy of two feet to decide in what to do when I found you wrestling with that gunrelated thief, and evidently I did quite the wrong thing, being somewhat foolish as a girl.

"But, you mustn't say that—I won't let you say that!" cried Molly with a little breathless catch in her voice, and her eyes shining. "I don't know a bit what it all means, you know, but I'm sure now that you were acting the part of a real, true friend to Mr. Herries, and that you were anxious to be kind to me at the same time; and—I feel proud of you for what you've done—proud and so ashamed——"

"Ashamed, Miss—Miss Renham? Why, whatever for?" cried Grantham.

"Oh, but you know!" she cried.

"Do You Mean It"

On a sudden impulse she put her two hands on his; there was a deepened color in her face as she added:

"And—and I do keep your threat of—of—of asking me again when you asked me the first time I was in that perfectly horrid temper—though I don't think you can blame me although you did say so—she faltered.

"Molly! Do you mean it?" he cried, quickly, his eyes bent in eagerness on her; but her eyes were downcast.

"If you do still want me, temper and all!" she answered very low, "my heart had already said 'Yes' before you spoke. Dick!"

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While John Herries was speeding to New York in the express the up train ran into Yonkers. The last few stops of the train had been brought down to identify the husband of the murdered dancing woman, who had smash makes one like it. This song is to be heard in every home with a piano or song. In order to stimulate a sale of this song immediately we offer it to you at 25 cents per copy, postpaid. Or we will send you the song and the Boston American for three months for 25 cents. In order to get the address of Molly's office and the man she was shadowing—and mail to us, with remittance—At once.

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One of the detectives went up to the conductor.

Mr. Herries hasn't come down by your train then—you know him, I suppose, quite well by sight?"

The man smiled at a question so superfluous. Did he not know every one who was in the habit of travelling up and down this section of the line?

"I should think I do know him—and a fine man he is, too," he said. "He came down by this train, but he got out at Park Hill. A friend of his, Mr. Grantham, rushed on to the platform just as we came in to look for Mr. Herries, who got out."

TO BE CONTINUED!

"SHADOWS OF NEW YORK"

CHAPTER CXIX.—*Continued*

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GRANTHAM rushed along by the side of the train, searching the carriage windows eagerly as he passed. It was a long train. Had Herries come? He could not see his friend.

"Stand back there if you aren't going on!" scolded the conductor.

Grantham was running along, scrutinizing the windows, his haste impeded by the alighting or embarking of passengers, who scowled at him furiously as he jostled against them in his mad hurry.

"Stand back!" yelled the conductor again.

But Grantham had caught a glimpse of his friend.

"Herries!" he yelled.

And John Herries, sitting in a far corner of a carriage, half hidden by the newspaper he was reading, looked in the direction of the voice amazed.

"Get out at once, Herries!" shouted Grantham. "You've got to get out here!"

As he spoke the bell rang and Grantham jumped on to the platform, and Herries in utter surprise followed him. Just as the train began to move out of the station.

"What on earth's up?" cried Herries.

For a moment Grantham stood limp and breathless from his assertion.

A Disappointment

The train rushed on on Yonkers, where three men would be awaiting its arrival very eagerly. Three men for whom a disappointment was in store.

"Herries, old man, Armadale has told me everything; something has happened that compelled him; you must steady yourself for a fresh, old man," said Grantham to his friend in a low, hurried, sympathetic voice.

"Dirgs Vall has been arrested this morning, and the police are waiting at that train!—as the van of the train rushing on to Yonkers left the last tip of the bend—"to arrest you. They've got some man with them. It seems, who can swear to your being the man they know as John March. As soon as I got the alarm I came over like lightning to intercept you here."

As he was speaking Grantham's eyes fell on Molly standing by the entrance to the station some little distance away—Molly, whom he had angered by his well-meant impulse, who had refused to marry him.

In his mad, excited rush to catch Herries, Grantham had scarcely had time to realize his disappointment; now that the breathless race was over, and his mind was free to dwell on it, the full force of the blow fell upon him.

Molly had decisively refused him—Molly, who had filled his thoughts of late, who had seemed to him the one woman in the world realizing so completely his ideal of what a girl should be; he had ruined everything by his reckless precipitancy.

But, at least for the time, he had saved his friend.

Herries was looking at him with a startled expression.

"You say they have arrested Ol a Vall? he cried in utter consternation, almost before Grantham has finished speaking.

"Some one saw her being driven off this morning from the telephone; then this afternoon some men, who Armadale is convinced were detectives, came to the house to ask if you were at home; they are waiting for that train now——"

"It was good of you, old man, mighty good, to rave over to give me warning," cried Herries, earnestly. "But since they've traced that poor girl and arrested her, I must come forward now at my own risk and I know of the affair on her behalf——"

"And, consequently, be arrested, too?" said Grantham, dryly.

"That cannot be helped. I should feel a cur to skulk in hiding instead of doing all I can to clear her," said John Herries firmly.

"And when you've told your story, Jack, I know nothing of the case or of what you know; but have you any proof of evidence to offer on her behalf? You may be absolutely convinced of her innocence; that's nothing. The question is, have you any proof to offer?" cried Grantham.

"No proof, but my story may tell in her favor."

"Look here, Herries, I'm not going to let you sacrifice yourself to a chivalrous impulse that can do no one any good," cried Grantham, impatiently. "Man alive, you'll do more good at liberty."

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MCLAUGHLIN, the City Hospital, Oct. 1, Edward J., beloved husband of Mary A. Mc-Laughlin, formerly of the North End.

Funeral from his late residence, 9 Lawrence st., Charlestown, Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 8.30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's Church, Warren st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. Late number of Cheverus Court No. 6, M. C. O. F.

SUNDBURG—In Roxbury, Oct. 1, John P., beloved husband of Julia K. Sundberg (nee Murphy), formerly of Charlestown.

Funeral from his late residence, Puritan road, Roxbury, Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Services at the Immaculate Conception Church at 9 o'clock. Interment at Mattapan. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

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BATES—In Cohasset, Oct. 1, Sarah A. Bates, 82 yrs., 10 mos., 2 days.

Services at Second Congregational Church, Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 2.30 p. m.

BOYDEN—In Walpole, Mass., Sept. 29, Charlotte W. Boyden, 74 y., 6 m.

Funeral at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, Oct. 3. Friends invited.

CAMPBELL—In Cambridge, Oct. 1, Wilson Campbell, 54 yrs., 9 mos., 10 da.

Funeral from his late residence, 69 Norfolk st., Thursday, Oct. 4, at 2.30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

CHAPMAN—In Charlestown, Sept. 30, Thomas J. Chapman.

Funeral from his late residence, 39 Prescott st., Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend without further notice.

CLARK—In Dorchester, Oct. 1, Patrick Clark, formerly of the West End.

Funeral from his late residence, 1,043 Washington st., Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 9.15 a. m., Nelson property, St. Gregory's Church, Dorchester av., Lower Mills, at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CROCKER—In East Boston, Oct. 1, Margaret J., beloved wife of Thomas Crocker, and beloved daughter of the late Thomas and Sarah Donahue, formerly of the North End.

Funeral from her late residence, 59 Cottage st., Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 8.15 a. m. High mass of requiem at the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment private.

DESMOND—In Boston, Sept. 30, Robert Desmond.

Funeral from his late residence, 121 Williams st., Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 8.15 a. m., thence to mass of requiem at St. Thomas a Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DRURY—In Roxbury, Sept. 30, Constant F. Drury, 78 yrs., 9 mos., 2 da.

Funeral private, at his late residence, 5 Mt. Pleasant st., Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 10 a. m. Please omit flowers.

HILDRETH—In Roxbury, Sept. 28, Nelson H. Hildreth.

Funeral private, at residence, 42 Brent st., Dorchester, Tuesday, Oct. 2, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Worcester, Mass., papers please copy.

LOEFFLER—In Brighton, Oct. 1, Christian Loeffler, 62 yrs.

Funeral services at his late residence, 236 Western av., Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 2 p. m.

LYNCH—In Dorchester, Oct. 1, Lee S. Lynch.

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Workingmen of Massachusetts, Your Chance Has Arrived

You Have an Opportunity to Elect One of YOUR Men to Be Lieutenant-Governor of the Commonwealth

This editorial is written for the eyes of the workingmen of the State of Massachusetts—for ALL workingmen, but ESPECIALLY for those workingmen who have organized themselves for mutual assistance and protection.

You have read and heard the advice given by the greatest leaders of the working people—that the time has come for workingmen to work together POLITICALLY even as they have been accustomed to unite to secure fair wages and hours.

Presumably you agree with these leaders. If you don't you are in a decided minority.

You have not had your chance in the past to VOTE for men who will fight for your principles. Political parties at various times have premised to nominate men friendly to you. In some cases they have done it—usually, it must be confessed, for minor offices to which there was no possible hope that they could be elected. They have taken great care that representatives of the workingmen were not placed in positions of TOO MUCH prominence. Perhaps they didn't want you to learn your REAL STRENGTH.

This year, in Massachusetts, things are different.

A REAL labor man has already been nominated for Lieutenant-Governor. He is a man who has lived his life in full view of the people of the State. For more than twenty years he has been an active worker for the good of the working people, and he has added to an earnestness and enthusiasm that has carried conviction a personal reputation that any man might well envy. No word has ever been spoken against his ability or his character, either as a laborer in the cause of man's rights, a leader in labor movements or a private citizen.

Elbridge Gerry Brown of Brockton, who will run for Lieutenant-Governor on the ticket of the Independence League, is a man for whom every workingman in the State can vote, firm in the conviction that there is no candidate for whom he could better give his suffrage. He was nominated by the overwhelming vote of a convention to which the presidents of many central labor unions were delegates and in which organized labor easily predominated.

Against him will be run, by the Republican party, a man who represents UNFAIRNESS to the organized laboring men just as strongly as Mr. Brown represents FAIRNESS—Eben S. Draper, the present Lieutenant-Governor. YOU will at last have your opportunity to register your will as to which of these two men you favor. We have no doubt you will vote for Mr. Brown, rather than for the great employer of labor who took away his employes' union cards and disbanded their unions under penalty of their discharge—which, in many cases, meant losing their little homes.

No candidate other than a Republican has been elected Lieutenant-Governor in Massachusetts since the Civil War. The issue has never before been drawn as it is to-day. This year Mr. Brown CAN be elected. The WORKINGMEN of Massachusetts—the brains and brawn of the State—are in a great majority. They can have their will if they but VOTE AS THEY WORK, for the best interests of the WHOLE.

You may depend upon it, workingmen, that those persons who would like to see Eben S. Draper, the bitterest foe of organized labor in Massachusetts, re-elected to office and placed in line for election as Governor next year, will do everything in their power to prevent you from electing a union man in his place.

From this minute until election day work to defeat such enemies as Eben S. Draper—and while you work, WATCH.

Watch ESPECIALLY the men who, advertising themselves as friends of the workingmen, tell you either that this is not the time for you to show your strength, or that you should support SOMEBODY ELSE and thereby divide your vote.

The Marvelous Balance of the Universe

A Lesson in the Gulf Coast Hurricane

In the terrible hurricane and tidal wave that swept the Gulf coast hundreds of lives were lost and millions of dollars' worth of property destroyed.

After the first excitement and horror there should be a thankfulness in the hearts of the many millions who live on safely.

Do you ever think of the wonderful protection, the marvelous precision in celestial mechanics, that guards you as you travel through space?

The oceans, seas and lakes contain water enough to cover the entire surface of the earth to a depth of six hundred feet, if the earth's surface were actually round.

In huge reservoirs, which we call oceans, the earth's waters are stored for our use. Those vast volumes of water rest on the surface of a whirling sphere traveling through space at fearful speed. The slightest derangement, the slightest lack of balance in our motion around the sun, the slightest shifting of the poles and mountains of water miles high would sweep over the continents and wipe out—not only one small city—but the entire human race.

Our existence here requires a precision so great that our minds can but feebly grasp it. Change the temperature of your body by but a few degrees and you die.

But you travel through space safely, with a freezing ocean of ether about you. You travel in company with suns that throw out endless billions of degrees of heat. You are protected in a traveling hothouse, regulated exactly to suit your feeble strength and all your wants.

Did you ever see the small, black nose of a pug dog pressed against the window of a flying express train?

Have you ever seen that pug barking at the landscape whirling by?

Have you reflected on the utter inability of that pug to realize the marvelous intelligence and power that are whirling him along as he barks and wags his tail and enjoys himself calmly?

Kind reader, you and all of us, whirling along in this magnificently conducted express train called the earth—whirling onward to a destiny worthy of our habitation—are so many poor little pug dogs looking out at nature's marvels, and looking out with less than pug-dog appreciation.

WILLIAMS: "THAT'S ALL"

SAYS little John Sharp Williams: "I am opposed irrevocably, NOW AND FOREVER."

This John Sharp Williams—you may never have heard of him—is the "leader" of Democrats in Congress. And he is referring to government ownership of railroads when he says, "I am opposed irrevocably, now and forever."

Those are long, big words from a little man.

Now and forever is a very long time. The future would be amused at that—if the future should ever hear of Mr. John Sharp Williams—BUT IT WON'T.

THE LAST STAND---THE PLUNDERBUND AT BAY

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HUGHES FOR GOVERNOR
IN CASE I AM SHOT HARRIMAN HAS MY ADDRESS
PERKINS WILL MISS ME IF I AM AMONG THE SLAIN
RYAN WE WHO ARE ABOUT TO DIE SALUTE THEE
WHO SAYS I'M FRIGHTENED!
GOOD BYE MY BLUE BELL
SOMETHING TELLS ME THAT I MAY NEVER SEE HOME AND FRIENDS AGAIN
RAILROAD TRUST
ICE TRUST
BEEF TRUST
OIL TRUST
COAL TRUST
STEEL TRUST
SUGAR TRUST
TOBACCO TRUST
COMRADE I'LL FAL IN WITH HIS ROCKEFELLUS
RYAN
BELMONT
F. Opper

THE HALLROOM BOYS

THEY DO IT ON $9.50 PER

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SEE PERC THEY LOOK APPETIZING. LET'S BUY.
YES IT'S QUITE SOME TIME SINCE WE'VE HAD MINCE PIE. WE'LL TAKE ONE UP TO OUR ROOM AND HAVE A FEAST.
HOME MADE MINCE PIES 35¢
AUCTION SALE RARE CHINA PRICELESS BRIC-A-BRAC
HERE COME THE MILLIONBUCK GIRLS PERC. WE DON'T WANT THEM TO SEE US CARRYING A PARCEL. IT MAKES ONE LOOK SO COMMON YOU KNOW.
COME IN THIS DOOR WAY I'VE A SCHEME.
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AH- GOOD AFTERNOON GIRLS. YES, WE'VE BEEN IN TO THE AUCTION. IF YOU GIRLS WISH ANY RARE CHINA, I'D ADVISE YOU TO GO IN AND BID ON SOMETHING. IT'S REMARKABLE HOW CHEAP THEY'RE SELLING THEM OF. WHY WE BOUGHT A CHINA PLATE FOR $12. AND I'D LIKE TO SET IT IS WRITH ALL OF $50. IF WE WEREN'T IN A PUBLIC PLACE I'D SHOW IT TO YOU.
LET'S CROSS HERE. WE'RE GOING OVER TO THE SPONDOOLIKES WON'T YOU BOYS COME ALONG. SHE HAS A FAD FOR COLLECTING RARE CHINA, AND SHE WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO SEE YOUR PLATE. BESIDES WE WOULD ALL SEE IT TOO.
ER-I'M AFRAID WE WONT HAVE TIME. AS WE HAVE A PRESSING ENGAGEMENT AT 5 O'CLOCK
3
4
MERCY ME - PERCY'S I THOUGHT WE WERE GOING TO GET RUN OVER. THOSE CHAUFFEURS ARE SO CARELESS. O-O-OH. THERE GOES YOUR CHINA!
HONK HONK
FIDO- GET AWAY! WHY IT'S A MINCE-PIE!
K.K. Pr'Gill.
5
6

THEY DIDN'T HAVE THEIR MINCE PIE FEAST AFTER ALL

Bobbie's Essays

By William F. Kirk

BARBERS

BARBERS is men that talks the whiskers off men's faces. there is 2 kinds. painless barbers & other barbers. sum of the painless barbers has such sharp raisors that they doant hurt & sum of them talks men to sleap so they doant feel the pain.

my Pa goes to a good barber. often he talks me along, not beekaus he wants to, but beekaus Ma toald me to go every time i cud git Pa to talk me. "you see, Bobbie," My Ma sed, "when yure father goes out nites to git shaved he stays 4 hours when he is alone & when you go with him it only talks 15 minutes."

My pas barber knows lots about everything. he says Rusevalt will be our next president & Hakkensmit our next champeen & the White Sox our next baseball leeders.

My Pas barber he is a grate man to bet on everything but like moast barbers he wants to be pritty sure, last week i went thare to git my hair cut & he says to me when i got in the chare "Bobbie, I will bet you 25 even munny that you want a hair cut & not a shaiv."

No moar about barbers, my paper is all gone.

II.

POETS OF AMERICA

my teecher asked me to rite about this subjeck but it is pritty hard for me but i will try.

the poets of America is of 2 kinds Men poets and lady poets. lady poets rite mostly poems about Give back that hart you took from me, my Prince, & men poets rite about everything like Her Luvly Lamps, Feeby Snow Went to Buffalo, & other subjecks. 1 of the gratest lady poets is Missus Wilcox & one of the gratest men poets of America is Mister Riley, ones they wrote each other a letter in poetry, she wrote to him:

i drewt i was hoam in my parlor
& the blood in my vains was like wine
With my hed on yure celluloid coller
& yure eyes gaising down into mine.
then he rote to her:
deer Missus, I hate for to holler
& shatter yure butiful dream
but I aint wore no celluloid coller
since the days when I used to drive teem.

thats all they wrote to teach other & thats about all I kno about the poets of America, them 3 i have naimed & G. Cohan.

Fire is the test of gold; adversity of strong men. SYRIUS.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Help People to Be Mentally and Morally Strong Instead of Making Weaklings and Dependents

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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I DO NOT know who wrote these lines, but they contain a sermon for every mother in the world.

Indeed they contain a lesson for every human being who does not mix this alloy of philosophy with the gold of love to make it more useful in its application to human needs.

There is no greater danger menacing a young soul starting its journey through life than an unreasoning love of one who strives to save it from individual experiences of sorrow and hardship and pain.

Of course the young man described in the verses above "failed" when he came to the issue of any great question, because he had been allowed no practice in self-development.

According to his mother's description of her own vigilance over him, she took his "cares," his "every burden," his "every pain and smart" upon herself.

It would be just as reasonable for a mother to train herself to be an athlete and then wonder why her son did not win the game when he was sent into the arena.

Our young Americans who made such a splendid showing in the great international games at Athens last Spring went through long months—many of them through years—of careful preparation.

They learned how to use the breath, how to expand the chest, how to develop each muscle.

They overcame fatigue, sloth and fear.

It was not easy work. It necessitated lame and sore muscles, bruises and falls before they brought themselves into condition to meet their adversaries.

Self-denial, too, played a large part in this training.

Appetites had to be curbed and inclinations to self-indulgence overcome.

Work, rest and diet play a large part in every development of the human being, whether in physical, mental or spiritual realms.

No one can take this work for another.

Each athlete in any one of these domains must *develop himself*.

The mother who shields her sons or her daughters from the trials and hardships of life makes weaklings for life's arena, not gladiators.

Many a philanthropist injures humanity more than he aids it in his mistaken efforts to relieve human misery. A vast amount of the charity so lauded in the present day is making an army of weaklings and dependents, instead of elevating the human race to mental and moral strength.

There is no harm that can be done a human being greater than destroying his sense of individual responsibility by assuming his burdens.

Cheer, encourage, help each soul to help itself, but do not assume its troubles, its toils or its duties.

If you do, that soul will "fail" when put to the test.

The Reaping

I LIVED my life for you; from that first hour
When yet you lay unseen and all unknown
Save to myself and God, my thoughts, my power,
My very life blood were for you alone.
I took your cares, and on my shoulders laid
Your every burden; every pain and smart
I kept from you, and all that could degrade
Or bring an evil knowledge to your heart.
I guided you from sorrow and from strife
Until your manhood. What has all availed?
I thought your life had been the perfect life—
And when the trial came, you failed—
* * * you failed!
—Harper's Weekly.

Little Editorials from the People

MORAN AND BROWN

W. R. Hearst, Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—Your keen, virile editorials in the BOSTON AMERICAN are a terror to political grafters. They have forced Boss Quincy, Whitney and Gaston to join the "Down and Out Club." No. 23. They have shaken the corrupt lobby on Beacon Hill to its foundation. Seldom, all ye grafters! Three cheers for John B. Moran and E. Gerry Brown, whose elections are certain.

A UNION MAN.

Lynn.

IS HE RIGHT?

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

In your editorial, September 27, speaking of the school system, you said: "Those that have property pay the bills for those that have none."

I should like to ask if those who pay rent are not the ones that really pay the taxes and therefore the school bills. I should except one's personal residence. In the same editorial, further down, you speak of poor families paying for parks. I believe the laboring and rent-paying people pay all the bills of the country, whether they are rich or poor, laborers or rent-payers.

Am I right?

EDWARD G. CHICK.

Watertown.